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The Westside

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HARRISON'S LAST KICK.

The American President Deals One More Blow at Perfidious Canada.

Vast Insurance Placed by a Pittsburg Firm—Poisoner Dempsey Convicted.

A Train Goes Through a Bridge—Tale of a Nihilist—Nantucket's Danger.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20. — President Harrison will send to Congress within a few days a special message which may have an important bearing upon the possible annexation of Canada to the United States. The message is in response to a resolution presented by Mr. Hitt on behalf of the committee on foreign affairs on July 19th, 1892, to inform the house what regulations are now in force concerning the transportation of imported merchandise in bond or duty paid and products or manufactures of the United States from one point in the United States over Canadian territory to other points therein, and especially whether a careful inspection of such merchandise should not be made at the Canadian frontier upon departure or arrival.

The message of President Harrison will point out clearly a plan by which the discrimination in favor of the Canadian Pacific Railway against railroads in the United States may be effectively prevented without violating the treaty of Washington. That treaty provides for the shipment of goods under consular seal from one place in Canada to another across United States territory, and vice versa. But the same treaty provides that goods thus shipped across the territory of either country must be from a contiguous nation.

Now, at least nine-tenths of all the merchandise shipped over the Canadian railway and admitted across the border into the United States under consular seal, and with only a nomiual examination, is imported from either Asia or Europe. It is evident, they infer, that the "contiguous" clause of the treaty of Washington makes it within the power of the United States Government to insist upon a rigorous examination of those goods at the port of original entry and prevent their transhipment under consular seal.

President Harrison's message will also deal with another phase of the question which will prove embarrassing to the subsidized military railroad of Canada. The President will declare that this government has a right to require an inspection by its customs officers of goods received from a territory not "contiguous" at one American port and sent by the high seas to another American port for transhipment. Under the view which President Harrison will take such importations would hereafter receive examination by United States customs officers upon arrival at San Francisco, and the duty upon them would be immediately levied and collected. The effect of this would be to throw their transportation across the continent into the control of American railways instead of the Canadian military line.

A Feast for the Agents.

PITTSBURG, Jan. 20.—One of the largest lines of fire insurance ever placed by any corporation in this city has just been concluded. The United States Glass company, which owns all the factories on the south side has had its plants insured, in all over $2,000,000 worth. Of this amount $1,000,000 was placed in this city and the other $1,000,000 is held by New York companies. The United States Glass Co. is one of largest concerns in the country, and controls a vast number of factories. The plants are very valuable, and it has taken no end of work to have the insurance placed. The cost of insurance for a year runs up to a small fortune, and when it was first talked of putting this vast amount of insurance on the plants, it almost took the breath away from the local insurance agents. Every local company in the city took a "piece" of it as well as the agents of foreign companies. Every factory of the company is now fully insured.

Plunged Through a Bridge.

FORT WAYNE, Ind., Jan. 20.—A Lake Erie and Western passenger train went through the bridge spanning the Wabash river at Peru, Ind., at an early hour this morning. As far as learned no one was killed, but every passenger on the train more or less injured. One has since died and several others are not expected to live. One of the end spans of the immense bridge went down carrying the train with it. Fire at once broke out and in less than an hour the entire train was burned.

INDIANAPOLIS, Jan. 20.—General Manager Bradbury of the Lake Erie & Western said of the wreck at Peru this morning: "The train left here at 11:40 last night and consisted of a locomotive, express car and chair car. Our information is that when within four rail lengths of the Wabash bridge a broken joint was struck and the train and the first span of the bridge dropped into the river. The cars immediately took fire and were consumed. There were seven passengers in the car and they were all more or less injured. One of them, G. C. Dorland, of La Porte, has since died. Engineer H. W. Griffin and conductor L. Forbes are reported badly injured. Fireman R. H. Neff and brakeman Frank Wade are not so seriously hurt. Doctors are at the scene doing all that is possible for the injured. Freight traffic will be interfered with for a day or two, until the bridge can be repaired, but passengers will be transferred at the bridge. We cannot yet estimate the loss.

Slew Her Betrayer.

HASTINGS, Neb., Jan. 20.—Mrs. Amanda Mason, a young woman, was arraigned yesterday on suspicion of assassinating Judge David S. Cole last July. She pleaded guilty and was sentenced to four years in the penitentiary. Cole, a prominent and wealthy citizen of this city, was found dead in his park on the night of July 31st. He had been shot through the brain. It was supposed that he had committed suicide, but last week Mrs. Mason confessed to having murdered him. With tears streaming down her handsome face the woman told this story in court: "Two years ago I was happily married. Then my home was broken up by sickness and my husband and I separated. We were to live together as soon as he was able to make a living. I began by teaching music, practicing at the house of Mr. Cole's daughter. Mr. Cole asked me if I would not like to do something else besides teaching music, and then he wanted me to do writing for him at his office. I would not do it at first, but finally I was and was betrayed. My husband found it out in some way and I confessed all to him. He said: 'That man has got to die, and if you won't kill him I will.' I discouraged it, but he kept urging me, and finally I said that if he thought it was my duty I would do it. About three weeks before Mr. Cole was shot my husband gave me a revolver and showed me how to use it. My courage failed me once, and then I made arrangements for a meeting with Mr. Cole at the park south of his place, and late at night I met him. He was in bad humor and taunted me with what he had made me. Then I fired blindly and he fell dead.

Beleaguered by the Ice.

NEW BRUNSWICK, Mass., Jan. 20.—For the last four days the steamer which carries supplies to the 15,000 people living on the Island of Nantucket has been unable to make the island owing to the difficulty of breaking the ice floes which are between the mainland and the island. When the steamer last touched at Nantucket the people there had scanty supplies of provisions, and fears are entertained that there may be much suffering before communication with the island can be resumed. An effort was made last night to get a tug across from Woodshill. The tug returned at 11 o'clock and reported that it was impossible to get through the ice and that it would probably take four days to effect a passage. In the meantime the people of the island will be brought to extremity. Efforts will be made again in the morning to reach the island. Midway between the island and the mainland is a channel filled with floating ice. On each side the ice is insecure, so that passage on foot over the ice is impossible.

Ruined by Nihilism.

BELLAIRE, Ohio, Jan. 20.—A peddler was run over and killed on Monday by a passenger train near here. About $200 in greenbacks were sewed in the lining of his coat. In his pack were papers indicating that he was Johann Louis Romanoff Satolski, a Russian, and that he was once heir to vast estates near St. Petersburg. The family were implicated in a nihilistic plot against the Czar. Some of the members were sent to Siberia and their property was confiscated. Two brothers escaped to this country. One of them died near Ithaca, N. Y., the paper showed, and the other was the peddler. The body was buried in the potter's field.

Borne to his Long Home.

FREEMONT, Ohio, Jan. 20.—Ex-president Rutherford B. Hayes was buried here to-day with great pomp and ceremony. Thousands followed the hearse to the grave. All the prominent politicians from Washington were present. President Cleveland was one of the pallbearers. The weather was fine and frosty.

Convicted of Poisoning.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Jan. 20.—The jury in the Dempsey case, poisoning non-union workmen at the Duquesne Steel Works, found the defendant guilty as indicted.

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BRANCH—NEW WESTMINSTER.

DEMANDED BY FRANCE.

Dr. Cornelius Herr, Arch Conspirator, Arrested To-day at Bournemouth.

The French Government Want Him to Answer Charges in the Panama Scandal.

Further Unravelling of the Dark and Tangled Skein of Shameless Fraud.

PARIS, Jan. 20.—M. Stephanie, Propper's clerk, who testified yesterday that he gave a list of compromised deputies to M. Clemenceau, was recalled to-day by the Panama Parliamentary Commission of Enquiry. He reiterated in detail his statement as to the list received by him from Baron de Reinach and its delivery to M. Clemenceau, contradicting in every particular the denials yesterday made by Clemenceau before the Commission. Deputy Gaillard, whose name was found in the note book in M. Arton's book, who dispensed 1,350,000 francs to deputies, told the commission that he had dealings with Arton in connection with the Panama matter. He had known Arton to be a good judge of pictures and a keen bargainer, and had therefore commissioned him to buy for 2000 francs two pictures by Wiene, exhibited in the Salon of 1888. This was the matter, undoubtedly, Deputy Gaillard said, to which M. Arton referred in his note book.

La Liberte says the police have learned where Arton is and his extradition will be demanded forthwith. While not stating definitely the fact, it is suggested that he is in London, and has been in communication with Cornelius Herz.

The Cocarde publishes a letter signed "Cornelius Herz," in which Herz is represented as acknowledging that he received 2,000,000 francs from Baron de Reinach. This sum, however, the letter says, was paid on private account, and was in no way connected with Panama affairs. The letter alleges that Herz knew nothing of the uses to which Panama funds were put, and denies that Herz drove Baron de Reinach to his death by blackmailing him. On the contrary, Reinach had tried to poison Herz, although eventually he was induced to pay the latter what he owed him. In conclusion, the letter requests three weeks grace in which Herz will arrange and send to Paris documents which will vindicate him. The letter bears internal evidence of having been written by Herz. Otherwise its authenticity rests on the Cocarde's assertion alone.

La France publishes an interview with M. Andrieux, ex-prefect of police. M. Andrieux says that during his recent visit in London he found Herz to be very ill. Herz had denied that he had received from Clemenceau the list of names which M. Andrieux had communicated to the parliamentary commission of enquiry. Herz had said if necessary he could return to France without being extradited. He had always acted honestly and had not been a foreign spy.

The chief accountant of the Panama canal deposed to the commission the manner in which anonymous checks were entered in the books. These checks, to the best of his recollection, had not been numerous. He also gave the details of the purchase of the telegraph.

The commission decided to call upon M. Andrieux again, particularly in regard to the list which M. Stephanie said that he had handed to M. Clemenceau. Deputy Ernest Valle informed the commission that M. Balhutt had refused to recognize the jurisdiction of the Seine assizes.

When M. Andrieux's list of 104 compromised deputies was shown to M. Stephanie to-day in the Parliamentary Commission of Enquiry he recognized it as a copy of the list which Baron de Reinach dictated to him, and which he gave to M. Clemenceau. M. Assenin, chief bookkeeper for M. Propper, testified before the commission that M. Stephanie had mentioned the list to him before 1890, but he had not mentioned any names.

M. Andrieux, in an interview this evening, expressed his satisfaction that M. Stephanie had so exactly confirmed his evidence as regards the bribery of the 104 deputies and the list of their names. M. Andrieux exonerates M. Clemenceau from all dishonesty in connection with the scandal but is convinced that M. Rouvier handled some 900,000 francs of Panama money. M. Andrieux said that he advised Cornelius Herz to go to America so as to escape the possibility of being extradited. Herz, however, had refused to go, saying that he had perfect confidence in English justice.

Republicans, ignoring personal differences, are rallying to the cause of the Government. M. Goblet states that he will not associate himself with a campaign designed to provoke a presidential crisis. This sentiment is generally expressed by other prominent men. The detection of royalists plotting at home and the increasing interest in affairs abroad have served to weaken the hold of the Panama scandal on the public mind, and the enemies of the Government also find the public more incredulous in view of the earnest prosecution of de Lesseps and associates, of the assertions that President Carnot or his ministry have anything to conceal.

In view of the developments of the trial attention has been called to the part which Ferdinand de Lesseps got the clergy to take in helping his scheme. De Lesseps and his whole family went prominently to high mass at the Madelaine all the time the bubble was being blown. The christening of each of the successive children of the family was celebrated at the nunciature by special license. A prelate was in one instance asked to be godfather. Speculation in Panama options, it is said, went on at the Vatican. A marquise who left to the Pope a mansion in the Place de la Concorde was advised to convert her offering of 40,000 francs a year to the Peter's pence fund in Panama paper. Of course, the company was expected to pay heavily and answered to the expectations. The run of priests on the Panama offices was so great that arraugements were being made a special office and a secretary to receive them when the collapse came.

De Lesseps also sent out in a most sensational way brigades of Sisters of Charity to the hospital at the canal works. An appeal was one day made through a religious paper to the zeal and devotion of the Daughters of St. Vincent de Paul. The next day there were 33 volunteers, who were taken to Saint Nazaire the following day to embark. The eyes of the Catholic world of France were for an hour rivited on the poor heroines, who were then forgotten until another brigade of volunteers was needed, for yellow fever had no more spared them than other whites on the isthmus in the unhealthy season. There was a call once for chaplains, but not with so much success.

It has been claimed that the connection of the deputies accused of corruption in the Panama affair took place in 1888, on the occasion of the passage of the lottery loan. The parliamentary law of 1889, bearing on trafficking with the elective mandate, is therefore inapplicable in their case, but clause 177 of the penal code punishes with civil degradation all public functionaries guilty of venality.

LONDON, Jan. 20.—A dispatch to the Daily News from Paris states that there are signs of an endeavor to create an agitation out of the Egyptian affair in order to wean public attention from the Panama scandal. Among the Arton checks last seized, says the dispatch, is one for 200,000 francs, payable to a celebrated theatrical beauty. This is the first proof of the connection of a woman with the scandal, but hardly the last, as the batch of the checks to be examined next by M. Franqueville will undoubtedly compromise some society people of both sexes. On the counterfoil of the actress's check is a memorandum to the effect that the 200,000 francs were a commission paid in advance of a purchase of lottery bonds by a wealthy young duke.

LONDON, Jan. 20.—Dr. Cornelius Herz was arrested last night on a warrant issued on the demand of the French Government, on a charge of being implicated in the Panama canal swindling and corruption. Herz was arrested at Bournemouth, where he was lying ill in bed. The police have him in charge.

CAPITAL JOTTINGS.

Archbishop Tache's Case—Discission of Behring Sea Business.

OTTAWA, Jan. 20.—Mr. Ewart, of Winnipeg, counsel for Archbishop Tache, is here to argue the case before the Cabinet to-morrow. Only preliminary questions come up as to right of appeal and jurisdiction of the Dominion Government. Greenway will not send a representative. The merits of the case will not come up.

The Cabinet was yesterday engaged in considering the Behring Sea question, prior to Hon. Mr. Tupper's departure for Paris.

OTTAWA, Jan. 20.—It is said that Lord Dufferin, British ambassador at Paris, will be appointed in place of Sir John Thompson, should the latter be unable to act as arbitrator in the Behring Sea case.

Montreal's Mayoralty Nominations.

MONTREAL, Jan. 20.—To-day was nomination day at the city hall. Aldermen McBride and Jeannotte in the West and St. Lawrence Wards, respectively, were returned by acclamation for the mayoralty, as well as in the other wards. There is opposition in fact, the mayoralty is a three-cornered fight, as also are the contests in the Centre, St. Lawrence, St. Antoine, St. Jean and Baptiste wards.

To Fight the Cholera.

QUEBEC, Jan. 20.—At a meeting of the civic finance committee held last evening it was decided to recommend that the council purchase a steam disinfector to guard against cholera, similar to one purchased by the Federal Government from Carrier, Laine & Co., of Levis.

Gold Mines of La Beauce.

MONTREAL, Jan. 20.—It is reported that the Beauce gold mines are again beginning to look up and that considerable activity is once more prevailing in the mining industry there.

Tarte Served.

MONTREAL, Jan. 20.—The judgment of the court ordering the recount in the election of L'Islet, has been served upon Mr. Tarte.

Unfaithful Civic Servants.

SPRINGFIELD, Ills., Jan. 20.—The newly elected auditor of Illinois, Mr. Moore, is preparing to make some serious charges against his predecessor in office, General Pavey. The cash books in the banking department are missing. The charge against Pavey, as well as against the two administrations that preceeded him, is, that all fees have been pocketed instead of being turned into the State Treasury as the law directs. The amount thus taken is between $225,000 and $250,000.

A Cousin of Charles Sumner.

BOSTON, Mass., Jan. 20.—It was learned here to-day that Henry Sumner who died suddenly in Hartford, Conn., last Tuesday, in a cheap lodging house, was the possessor in his own right of $50,000, and that he was a cousin of Charles Sumner. Before the war he had the office of superintendent of schools at Fall River. He was a graduate of Harvard.

Unappreciated Enterprise.

SAN JOSE, Cal., Jan. 20.—C. M. Shortridge, proprietor of the Mercury, was fined $100 this morning for publishing alleged evidence in a divorce case after the court had ordered closed doors.

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HISTORY OF SEALING.

First of a Series of Interesting Articles on the Great Industry by an Expert.

The Present International Dispute Traced From Its Earliest Rise.

An idea suggested by a friend and inspired by the hope that it may do some good, has led me to undertake the task of laying before the public in a series of articles, our side of the sealing question. It is with regret I say that Canadians and Englishmen as a rule do not understand any phase of the question, and non-knowledge has led to non-interest. I propose, in a way which I fear will not meet all the requirements of the stupendous question, to take it up at its inception and follow it to the end, and I am assured that the reader who will be my companion from the first voyage of the Kate in 1866, down to the seizure of the Oscar and Hattie at Atu this season for entering the limits of Behring Sea to get water, will be convinced, first, of the honesty of our contentions, and secondly, of the justice of them.

We, a peaceable set of citizens, engaged in a legitimate enterprise, have been called poachers and pirates; have had our property confiscated and destroyed, and have had rights on the high seas which have been acknowledged since man first sailed the oceans, denied us. I would like to say here, of the great body of the people of the United States, I am convinced, they love justice and would make any sacrifice to see it satisfied, but the sophistry of statesmen and the influence of a mighty corporation which has had access even to the cabinet at Washington, have led them astray. However, I think a change is at hand. There is a revulsion of feeling as time progresses. The people are looking into the question. Newspapers have investigated it, and now and then the light glimmers and sparkles in an open expression of opinion. Predictions are made that the arbitration can result but one way. We are perfectly satisfied to let our cause go to trial. Able exponents will present the two cases, and I may say the honor of almost the whole world demands a fair decision.

In article 1 I propose to deal with the early history of the industry and the different stages of development.

With respect to the early history or beginning of the sealing industry in British Columbia, it is well-known that, owing to the sparse settlements on the west coast of Vancouver and Queen Charlotte Islands, the taking of seals and the hunting of sea otter was followed by our Indian population, who pursued that industry in their own primitive manner. That is, by using the canoe and spear, and seldom venturing beyond sight of land; and their success was only known to the traders who had stores or stations or trading schooners, who usually visited the west coast during the season. The white population up to later years being chiefly engaged in other occupations. Sealing and deep sea fishing did not seem to attract much attention; the few seals that were caught by the Indians adjacent to the coast were not considered sufficient inducement for our seamen; at the same time, the habits of the seal's life, their regular yearly migration from Behring Sea, their long circular journey and return north, following the food fish, were all matters that not fully known to our people—at all events it does not appear that their knowledge of seal life known to our hunters presented extra inducements to follow this hazardous occupation.

Up to the year 1865 and 1866 the sealing industry remained in the hands of the west coast Indians; but in 1866 the schooner Kate of Victoria, B.C., in charge of Dutch Harry and H. Ogilvie, left Victoria on a sealing and trading venture to the North Pacific and Behring Sea, but the success of the venture is not known; it is said that the voyage was more for trading than hunting the seals, and, as expeditions of the kind were plentiful at that time, as the United States had just then acquired Alaska, it is now generally believed that they did not enter Behring Sea for the purpose of sealing—at all events, the persons are now dead and no authentic record can be found as to their success on this supposed sealing voyage. After that time, some years seem to have elapsed, before the sealing business was much noted, and was apparently only attractive to the few traders then engaged on the west coast in the usual way of barter or exchange with the Indians.

The pioneers of the sealing industry, viz.: James D. Warren, Hugh McKay and William Spring—of whom the only one that now remains to tell us of the early history of this important industry is the first mentioned—the other two, like many of our early pioneers, after reaping the reward of toil, and when about to enjoy the fruits of their labors, were called away.

About the years 1878 and 1879 the schooners belonging to the port of Victoria, B.C., began to extend their voyages further seaward and the migration of the seals began to be better understood; the schooners would extend their voyages south in the early spring months and meet the returning seals on their way north. At this time the following were the schooners and owners then engaged:

Thornton...Owner, Capt. J. D. Warren
Anna Beck.. " " "
Favourite... " " Hugh McKay
Onward..... " " "

In the year 1880 the schooner Mary Ellen, a vessel of 63 tons, was purchased by William Spring, and added to the sealing fleet of Victoria, B.C., and in the years 1881-82 auxiliary steam power was added to the schooners Anna Beck and Thornton, and several new vessels were built. At this time the sealing industry was considered in a fairly prosperous condition.

In the year 1883 the American schooner San Diego, of San Francisco, of which Daniel McLean was master and his brother Alexander was mate, both being Nova Scotians, fitted out in San Francisco for the North Pacific and Behring Sea on a walrusing and sealing voyage, with a crew of 13 men. Hunting along the west coast of California and British Columbia, they entered Behring Sea about the 1st of June, 1883. During the whole time spoke no vessel or revenue cutter, had no communication with anyone, left Behring Sea in the end of August, and in the course arrived at Victoria, B.C. The voyage was a successful one.

The following were the vessels engaged on the west coast sealing in the years 1882 and 1883, but did not enter Behring Sea, and all were fairly successful:—

Schooners.	Tons.
Favourite	80
Alfred Adams	69
Anna Beck	40
Dolphin	60
Grace	77
Onward	35
Thornton	29
W. P. Sayward	60
Black Diamond	82

In the year 1884, the schooner Mary Ellen, of Victoria, B. C., Daniel McLean being master, fitted out in San Francisco with a crew of 16 men, hunting seals along the west coast; entered Behring Sea about the 15th June, 1884, and left about the end of August. The voyage was satisfactory to the owners and crew, they having prosecuted their legitimate and peaceful voyage on the high seas and without any interference from anyone. In the same year the schooners Favourite, Anna Beck, Alfred Adams, Dolphin, Grace, Onward, W.P. Sayward, Thornton and Black Diamond were all engaged in sealing in the North Pacific.

The year 1885 was considered a prosperous one for the sealers, the schooners Mary Ellen and Favourite of Victoria, B.C., having entered Behring Sea during June, and leaving about the end of the month of August. The other schooners, as per list attached, hunting in the North Pacific, but did not enter Behring Sea. In the following year, 1886, a number of new vessels were added to the fleet, and the enterprising firm of Carne & Munsie brought the schooner Pathfinder around Cape Horn. This also led to the immigration from the eastern provinces of the hardy class of seamen who were well adapted to the sealing industry. All the vessels clearing from Victoria, B.C., entered Behring Sea, with the exception of the schooners Active and Rustler; which were lost off the coast of Vancouver Island.

The same year is also remarkable for the seizures of the schooners Caroline, Onward and Thornton and the attendant circumstances are now a matter of history. The above named vessels all fitted out at Victoria, British Columbia, for seal-hunting in the waters of the North Pacific Ocean and Behring Sea. At the time of seizure (1st and 2nd August, 1886) they were about 70 miles from the nearest land. They were seized by the United States revenue cutter and taken to Ounalaska. The crews of the Carolina and Thornton, with the exception of the captain and one man detained at Ounalaska, were sent to San Francisco, and were nearly a thousand miles from their homes, when they were turned adrift to beg their bread and find their way back to Vancouver Island by appealing to the charity of the humane. The crew of the schooner Onward was kept at Ounalaska. The master and mate of the Thornton were brought before a judge named Dawson in the United States District Court at Sitka, and, if half the stories that are told are true, as to the manner in which courts were then conducted in Alaska, we cannot be surprised at the verdict. The trial was a farce on justice, where international law or comity had no consideration—the British must suffer—and he was found guilty accordingly. The master of the Thornton was sentenced to 30 days' imprisonment and to pay a fine of $500, and the mate to 30 days' imprisonment and a fine of $300. The masters and mates of the Onward and Carolina, one James Ogilvie, an old man and a pioneer seaman of British Columbia, and well thought of by the owners and crews sailing from the port of Victoria, B.C., and suffering from the harsh and inhuman treatment and exposure at the hands of the servants of that mighty Republic, that blatantly proclaims that it loves the right—that poor man was suffered to wander away into the woods, where he died from want and exposure. The other masters and mates, after remaining several months in prison, were released by the order of the Governor of Alaska, which besought to do so by the inhabitants of Sitka in the interests of humanity. They were turned out of prison literally destitute, without food or shelter, to find their way back, as best they could, to their homes, 1500 miles distant, and which could be reached only by a long and costly voyage, or to trust themselves to the friendly help of the Indian and his canoe over a tempestuous wintry ocean. The story of the death of poor Ogilvie, and the taunts and insults of an unscrupulous judge, characterizing them as pirates and robbers, the subsequent imprisonment of our hardy sailors in that foul Alaskan dungeon, (a fit place only for the savage Aleute) will long be told as a travesty on the humanity of a friendly government.

The schooners have since remained on the beach at Sitka, worm-eaten and worthless. In 1887, the government of the United States concluded to give the before-mentioned vessels up, and, in a letter from Mr. Bayard to Sir S. West, dated 11th October, 1887, from which I extract the following:

"In the meantime, in acknowledging your note, I take occasion to state my impression, that, if the three vessels seized and ordered to be released, have not been repossessed by the owners, it is not because of any hindrence on the part of any official of this government, or failure to obey the order for release; but probably because of the remoteness of the locality (Sitka), where they were taken after arrest for adjudication, and the proceedings having been in rem, the owners have not seen proper to proceed to Alaska and repossess themselves of the property in question."

Again, on the 13th of October, 1887, I find the following letter from Mr. Bayard to Sir S. West:

Department of State,
WASHINGTON, Oct. 13th, 1887.

Sir,—Continuing my reply to your note of the 20th ultimo, enquiring the reason for the delay in complying with the order issued in January last, for the release of the British vessels seized last year in Behring Sea, I beg to inform you that I have this day received a communication from my colleague the Attorney-General, informing me that his telegram to the United States marshal at Sitka, of the 26th January last, ordering the release of the British schooners "Onward," "Carolina," and "Thornton," owing to some misconception and mistake on the part of the official to whom it had been addressed had not been acted upon.

A renewed order has gone forward for their release, as had been distinctly directed last January, and which I had no reason to doubt had been promptly obeyed. (Signed)
T. F. BAYARD.

From the foregoing, it naturally would be thought by all reasonable people that the Secretary of the United States would have had due respect for the proprieties of international comity, to see that his order would have been duly carried out before the close of the year 1887; but such was not the case. Whatever interfered in this diplomatic shuffle, it did not materialize before 1st November, 1888, and not until the 10th day of November, 1888, did Messrs. Munsie & Co. receive the following:

DISTRICT OF ALASKA,
U.S. Marshall's Office,
Sitka, Nov. 1, 1888.

E. H. Wall, Esq., U. S. Deputy Collector of Customs, Ounalaska, Alaska.

SIR,—You are hereby authorized and directed to deliver to the rightful owners, Messrs. Munsie & Co., of Victoria, B.C., the seized schooner Carolina, of Victoria, B.C., her tackle, apparel and furniture, as she now lies in the harbor of Ounalaska. (Signed.)
BARTON ATKINS,
U. S. Marshal.

DISTRICT OF ALASKA,
U. S. Marshall's Office,
Sitka, Nov. 1, 1878.

Messrs. Munsie & Co., Victoria, B.C.:

GENTLEMEN,—I have the honor to inform you that I have received from the Hon. Attorney-General of the United States, orders to release to the rightful owners the schooner Carolina, her tackle, apparel and furniture, as she now lies at the harbor of Ounalaska in the District of Alaska. The order on the Deputy Collector of Customs at Ounalaska to deliver to you the property is herewith enclosed. Very respectfully, (Signed.) BARTON ATKINS,
U. S. Marshal.

I will in the next letter take up the contentions under which the seizures were made and the story of their abandonment later, and future letters will treat of the later history of the business and something about seal life and the questions which arose out of the consideration of that branch of the question.
J. G. COX.

Wife Sues Husband For a Ring.

Stella Conniff, who has been an inmate of Annie Wilson's house until recently, swore to a complaint in Justice Caldwell's court yesterday afternoon charging Thomas Conniff, who is or was her husband, according to her story, with taking a diamond ring and neglecting to return it, says Thursday's Post-Intelligencer. In her story she alleges that she married Conniff in Victoria about three years ago, and separated from him a few months ago. She came to Seattle and is now at the Windsor hotel. She met Conniff, and while talking she allowed him to have the ring to look at, and he forgot to return it. A warrant has been issued and placed in the hands of a constable to be served

What St. Paul's Has Done.

Annual meeting St. Paul's Presbyterian church was held last night. The building committee reported an expenditure of $3813.24. Seventy-eight children are attending the Sabbath school. The congregation has more than doubled, and a balance is in the treasurer's hands.

Mr. Herman Hicks
Of Rochester, N. Y.

Deaf for a Year
Caused by
Catarrh in the Head

Catarrh is a CONSTITUTIONAL disease, and requires a CONSTITUTIONAL REMEDY like Hood's Sarsaparilla to cure it. Read:

"Three years ago, as a result of catarrh, I entirely lost my hearing and was deaf for more than a year. I tried various things to cure it, and had several physicians attempt it, but no improvement was apparent. **I could distinguish no sound.** I was intending putting myself under the care of a specialist when some one suggested that possibly Hood's Sarsaparilla would do me some good. I began taking it without the expectation of any lasting help. To my **surprise and great joy** I found when I had taken three bottles that my **hearing was returning.** I kept on till I had taken three more. It is now over a year and I can **hear perfectly well.** I am troubled but very little with the catarrh. I consider this a **remarkable case,** and cordially recommend

Hood's Sarsaparilla

to all who have catarrh." HERMAN HICKS, 30 Carter Street, Rochester, N. Y.

HOOD'S PILLS are purely vegetable, and do not purge, pain or gripe. Sold by all druggists.

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Notice is hereby given that having sold my business to the Sayward Mill and Lumber Co., Limited, I take this opportunity of thanking my friends and patrons for past favors and ask that the same be extended to the new firm.

Persons having claims against me are requested to present the same, and all persons indebted to me are requested to pay such indebtedness at my office, 16 Trounce Avenue.
oc22-tf W. P SAYWARD.

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Manufactured by
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CINCINNATI, O.
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CUBB'S COUGH CURE (ANTISEPTIC) CUBB'S COUGH CURE

A lady, who, by the way, is the wife of an M.P. in one our B. C. cities, said to our manufacturing chemist a few days ago: "What first attracted my attention to Cubb's Cough Cure was the novel claim that it is ANTISEPTIC. I thought if this is really the case it must be a good medicine. I bought a bottle and found it all that is claimed for it. My husband who has been troubled with a severe bronchial cough for a long time, used it with the most surprising results."

The name of the above lady is on file in our office with many more equally reliable.

Our dealers report the sales of Cubb's Cough Cure for the month of November, far in excess of any other cough mixture. This is because it is the only ANTISEPTIC REMEDY in the market.

Cubb's Cough Cure is made only by
THE HYBRYLYNE CO., Victoria, B.C.

☞ Ask your Druggist or Dealer for it.

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The Directors are prepared to receive applications for offices in the new Board of Trade Building, on Bastion Street. Responsible parties can secure on leases more than one suite of offices, with privilege of sub-letting. The offices are heated and conveniently arranged, singly and in suites of two and three rooms, having fire-proof vaults, electric light, gas fixtures and other modern conveniences. Special attention has been given to the sanitary arrangements. For further particulars and plans apply at No. 80 Wharf St., to
F. ELWORTHY,
de29-1m Secretary pro. tem.

Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital

Notice is hereby given that the "Dupont" Hospital Ambulance is now ready for service in cases of accidents, and can be obtained at the Victoria Transfer Stables.

The use of the ambulance for all cases other than accidents can only be obtained on the order of one of the Consulting or Visiting Physicians of the Hospital.

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H. M. YATES,
-tf Secretary.

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West Kootenay District---Slocan Recording Division.

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G. M. SPROAT.
Nelson, B.C., Nov. 22, 1892. dec2-2m

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Northern Pacific
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And thereafter the permanent service of the Company's regular steamers.

For freight or passage apply to
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E. E. BLACKWOOD,
Agt. N. P. R. R. Co., Victoria. se30

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JOAN
J. E. BUTLER, Master.

On and after August 23rd, 1892,
Steamer JOAN will sail as follows:
(CALLING AT WAY POINTS:

Leave Victoria.....Tuesday 7 a.m.
" Nanaimo for Comox.....Wednesday, 7 a.m.
" Comox for Valdez Island.....Thursday, 7 a.m.
Returning same day.
" Comox for Nanaimo.....Friday, 7 a.m.
" Nanaimo for Victoria.....Saturday, 7 a.m.

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THE OCEANIC STEAMSHIP COMPANY

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For Honolulu,

S.S. AUSTRALIA (3,000 tons) Wednesday, Jan. 18, 1893, 2 p.m.

For Honolulu, Auckland & Sydney without change
The Splendid New 3,000 ton Iron Steamer
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THE IMPERIAL SHORT ROUTE
TO CHINA AND JAPAN.

TABLE OF SAILING.
(Subject to change and individual postponement.)

Steamships.	Arrive Victoria About.	Leave Victoria.
Empress of India	.....	Oct. 16, 1892
Empress of Japan	Oct. 29, 1892	Nov. 13, "
Empress of China	Nov. 23, "	Dec. 12, "
Empress of India	Dec. 21, "	Jan. 9, 1893
Empress of Japan	Jan. 18, 1893	Feb. 6, "
Empress of China	Feb. 15, "	Mar. 6, "

This New Steamship Route between the American Continent and Japan and China is 300 miles shorter than any other route, and as the contract for the carriage of the mails require a fast speed, the time hitherto taken to reach the Orient has been materially lessened.

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CANADIAN PACIFIC NAVIGATION CO.,
(LIMITED.)
TIME TABLE No. 17.
Taking effect April 1, 1892

Vancouver Route.

Victoria to Vancouver daily, except Monday, at 2 o'clock, a.m.

Vancouver to Victoria daily, except Monday, at 13 o'clock, or on arrival of C.P.R. No. 1 train.

New Westminster Route.

LEAVE VICTORIA for New Westminster, Ladner's Landing and Lulu Island, Sunday at 23 o'clock; Wednesday and Friday at 7 o'clock. (Sunday's steamer to New Westminster connects with C.P.R. train No. 2 going East Monday.)

For Plumper Pass Wednesday and Friday at 7 o'clock

For Moresby Island Friday at 7 o'clock.

LEAVE NEW WESTMINSTER for Victoria, Monday at 13 o'clock; Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.

For Plumper Pass Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock

Northern Route.

Steamships of this Co. will leave for Ft. Simpson and intermediate ports on the 1st and 15th of each month. When sufficient inducements offer will extend trips to West Coast points and Queen Charlotte Islands.

The Company reserves the right of changing the Time Table at any time without notification.

JOHN IRVING, Agt.
G. A. CARLETON, General Agent

THE WEST COAST.

Wreckers at Work on the Old Ship Ericsson --Fine Weather.

The steamer Maude, Captain Roberts, returned early this morning from the west coast. Her passengers were: J. Sutton and wife, J. C. Anderson, Thos. Fletcher, M.P.P., W. Wells, R. Lucwitch, D. C. McFarlane, A. Grove, J. Whitman, G. A Bradley, Mrs. Brown, Mrs. Barlow and Messrs. Spencer and Johnson.

The weather up the coast has been very mild, and the trip was an uneventful one.

The wrecker Mascotte is at work on the wreck of the ship Ericsson. Only a small portion of the mast of old ship is visible, but the Mascotte's divers were at work on the submerged hull.

Mr. Martin, the storekeeper at Barclay, lost about $100 worth of goods a few days ago while he was in Victoria. Somebody broke into the store and carried the goods away.

The Maude brought down 16 sacks of ore from the west coast mines for a Seattle syndicate.

In Calvary Church.

The meeting of last evening at the Herald street Baptist church was specially interesting through the presence of Rev. W. M. Upcraft, returned missionary from China. Rev. Mr. Upcraft delivered a telling address, describing the work in west China. He mentioned that this district was the opportunity to Christian civilization, comprising as it did 200,000 square miles, and having a population of nearly 70 millions. Three years ago he was sent on pioneer work to this province. No one could estimate the difficulties that beset the pioneer missionary except those who had tried to do the work. There was first the suspicion with which the Chinese regarded any foreigner, caused by the bad conduct of many who had traded with the Chinese in the seaports. Soon these suspicions passed away, and doubt and curiosity took its place. Medical knowledge and practice aided the missionary to break down the wall of reserve. Healing the body helped greatly in the work of healing the soul. In his station in western China the work grew, men and women thronging to the mission station—crowding so much that special days had to be set apart for receiving them. Town after town was visited, and old men crowded often around him, saying in their vernacular, "We cannot feel to find the door." Groping with blinded eyes they were feeling their way out of heathenism into the light of the true God. Sometimes with fanaticism and hatred they assailed the foreign teachers of the new doctrine, the speaker himself having been stoned by the Chinese and left for dead. Numerous conversions were related, showing how much real good could and was readily done amongst that people who were for so many years closed to Christian civilization, and he implored the Christian people to renew their consecration afresh to the great work of winning China's millions to a knowledge of the true God. This evening the series of services will be continued.

Two Strings to Her Bow.

MACON, Ga., Jan. 20.—A curious story was brought to light to-day. For over a year Reed Lumsden had been paying attention to Miss May Love. Prior to the beginning of Lumsden's suit C. A. Avent had been attentive to May, but had ceased his attentions. A few nights ago Mr. Avent received a message from Miss Love requesting that he join her at the residence of Mr. Beggs and escort her home. He joined the young lady and they walked leisurely up Walnut street, passing a man standing in the middle of the street. They had no sooner passed this personage when footsteps were heard behind them, and before Avent and his companion had an opportunity of realizing what had happened Miss Love was accosted by the man who had overtaken them. "Is this Miss Love?" he asked, and almost instantly her eye fell upon the levelled barrel of a revolver. The fright of the young woman did not disconcert the man with the revolver, who directed it at Avent. "Is this Mr. Avent?" Avent recognized him as Lumsden. Lumsden then fired at Avent, whose presence of mind saved him, for he made a sudden movement to one side just as the report rang out. Miss Love now threw herself forward and clutched Lumsden, while Avent endeavored to reach the revolver. Before he could get it the woman released her hold on Lumsden who ran away at full speed.

A Triple Tragedy.

LONDON, Jan. 19.—Intense excitement was caused to-day at Hove, a suburb of Brighton, and in Brighton itself, by the discovery of a triple tragedy that has been enacted at the former place. Arthur Black, B. Sc., a teacher, his wife and his son, aged two years, were found dead in their home this morning by some of the neighbors who called at the house. The child was found lying in a disordered bed. He had been stabbed in the neck and the bedding and floor were drenched with his blood. The body of Mrs. Black, with the head horribly battered, was lying on the floor of a room above that in which the body of her son was found. The only garment on the body was a night-dress. From the appearance of the wounds on the head it is thought she was beaten to death with a hammer. On the floor above lay the body of Black. He, too, was in a night-shirt. He had bled profusely from the nose and mouth; but there were no wounds visible. On a table beside him was a bloody hammer, and a table knife, also bearing blood-stains, was standing on a chair beside the table. It is the general opinion that Black murdered his wife and child and then committed suicide by taking poison. The couple had another child, whose life was undoubtedly saved by the fact that it was away from home on a visit.

For Jaw-breaking Purposes.

CHICAGO, Jan. 19.—A charter has been issued by the Secretary of State for the organization of a national Polish association to be known as the Kolko Dramtyczne Pod Opieka Sw. Cyciliw. The organization is claimed in the charter papers to be for beneficial and mutual improvement purpose, but it is understood that it is ultimately intended to make it a national political movement. Among those originating the affair and named as charter members are Emil Olaztynski, Frank Vrzesinski, Frank Szumnarski, Joseph Gorski.

New Peace Justices.

The Gazette contains appointments as Justices of the Peace: Edward Choate, of North Bend, Yale Electoral District; Goodwin Purcell, Port Douglas, Harrison Lake, Westminster Electoral District; William Howard Elkington, of Quamichan, County of Victoria and Cowichan Electoral District; Frederick H. Maitland-Dougall, South Cowichan, Cowichan Electoral District.

A GIFTED WOMAN ORATOR.

Mrs. Maud Ballington Booth at the Salvation Army Congress.

When Maud Ballington Booth speaks Murray Hill is as anxious as Cherry Hill to listen to her, and all through the recent Salvation Army congress the boxes at Music Hall were filled with men and women not enrolled among the recruits and officers of the army, listening with something beside curiosity to the little woman

MRS. PALLINGTON BOOTH.

in the blue uniform, with her officer's sash of the stars and stripes.

It was a picture to be remembered, the Army lassies in their poke bonnets and the bright sashes of their corps, the soldiers in their scarlet jerseys, the slum workers with their white-robed babies, the Turks in their brilliant dress, saluting with a great waving of banners, with a deafening din of drums and blare of trumpets as the little mother came down before them all, pale from her recent illness, but with bravely smiling lips and glowing eyes, and lifting one white hand in the beautiful motions of the military salute, acknowledged their greeting and silenced the uproar. Just for a moment the slight figure swayed and you felt that she would fail; then the clear, resonant voice rang out through the great building to the farthest galleries. It was a simple little story she told of one of Napoleon's soldier's who was dying. As the surgeon probed carefully for the bullet and said, "A little further and it would have touched the heart," the dying man raised his head and said faintly, "A little further and it would have touched the Emperor." Then she added, "So you may laugh at our uniforms and laugh at our bonnets, that doesn't hurt any; you may scorn and despise and persecute us, that doesn't hurt any; but when you despise and refuse the Christ, ah! that touches our hearts, and it hurts." And a sweet-faced woman in one of the boxes said to the man beside her, with a quiver in her voice and a mist in her eyes: "I have always ridiculed and hated the Salvation Army, but she is the bravest, most heroic little woman I ever knew. To think of a woman of her education and refinement devoting her life to this sort of thing to save the poor creatures that other people give up as utterly worthless makes me feel that I want to put on a poke bonnet myself."—N. Y. Sun.

Gould's Daughter a Benefactress.

Although Jay Gould left nothing to charity by his will, his money, through his daughter, Miss Helen Gould, has been employed in many acts of benevolence. She has been for some time a devout member of Dr. Paxton's church, New York, and it was through her influence, so it is said, that her father was induced to give his check for $10,000 to the minister last winter. Miss Gould has been always simple

MISS HELEN GOULD.

and unostentatious in her giving, but many poor people have to thank the kindness of her heart for food as well as for sympathy.

Their Common Origin.

There is a touch of humor in the fact that mosquito and musket are from the same root, the Latin word for fly. One comes through the Spanish masca, a fly; the other probably through the Italian. The popular notion that the Mosquito coast of Central America gave name to the Jersey pest is probably an inversion of the true sequence.

Getting a Gait.

Willy Wander (flourishing his cudgel)—Though I am but a tramp, Mr. Hayseed, you had better not drive me too far; for I am a master of fence!

Hayseed—Then get a gait on you.

CONSIGNEES.

Per Steamer Islander from Vancouver—M Sarantes, Lenz & Leiser, A E Morris, Nat Elec Co, C Strouss, Turner, Beeton & Co, Walter Shears, A D Thoresdey, Weiler Bros, R Ward, Ames Holden, Frank Bertich, John White, J Falconer, McL & McF, P T Patton, A Bornstein, Dom Exp Co.

Per City of Kingston from the Sound.—Valo & Brooks, B & K Milling Co, J H Todd & Son, Kemph & Simon, S Leiser, R P Rithet & Co.

Amusements.

For particulars and dates of amusements, see fourth page, column next editorial.

Our display of holiday goods this season will eclipse all previous efforts, an interesting show to all, at Weiler Bros. *

New line of upholstered and carpet seated, ladies', misses', and gentlemen's chairs and rockers at Weiler Bros. *

CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA.

Balance Sheet, 31st December, 1892.

ASSETS.

SINKING FUNDS

Water Works Loan By-Law, 1873	$ 55,645 75	
Water Works Amendment Act, 1876	40,181 45	
Water Works Loan By-Law, 1877	9,550 65	
Corporation By-Law, 1878	12,159 00	
Public Light " 1885	4,507 00	
Drainage " 1885	1,440 00	
Water Works " 1886	10,218 70	
Streets & Bridge " 1889	2,901 00	
Johnson st Sewer " 1888	1,678 75	
Water Works " 1886	1,122 00	
Streets, Bridges and Cemetery By-Law, 1889	2,862 45	
Water Works $70,000 By-Law, 1889	4,445 60	
Water Works $60,000 By-Law, 1889	3,813 65	
Pleasure Grounds By-Law, 1889	1,587 75	
Fire Department By-Law, 1889	930 25	
Flour Mill Bonus By-Law, 1889	764 00	
City Hall Addition By-By Law, 1890	2,288 85	
Cemetery By-Law, 1890	816 35	
Sewerage " 1890	5,428 65	
Public Market Site By-Law, 1890	814 55	
Public Market Buildings By-Law, 1890	995 00	
Crematory By-Law, 1890	429 00	
Agricultural Association By-Law, 1891	687 30	
Loan City of Victoria Act, 1892	2,312 30	
		167,670 00
Municipal Taxes outstanding—		
Land and Improvement Tax	$ 29,588 90	
Trades Licenses	1,177 50	
Fire insurance tax	1,550 00	
Water rents	9,920 00	
Market rents	125 75	
		$ 42 362 15
B.C. Land and Investment Agency,—		
Loan City of Victoria Act, 1892	$ 353 27	
Broad St. Improvement	1,445 10	
Home for Aged	40 76	
		1,839 13
B.C. Corporation, Limited, Crematory Loan		10,410 40
J. Gosnell, Weighing Machine Fees		59 98
A. McBean, for Pipes		1,477 25
Bank B. N. America—		
General Account	$ 1,375 35	
City Victoria Act, 1892	3,014 43	
Sewerage Loan 1890	$ 35 90	
Sewerage Deposit Account	18,768 56—18,804 46	
Street Loan By-Law, 1892	12,222 77	
Contract Deposit Acct	4,401 10	
		39,818 11
Cash on hand		63 35
Corporation of the City of Victoria, being excess of Liabilities over Assets		1,185,592 48
		$1,449,293 55

(E. O. E.)
January 6, 1893.
Certified correct.
JAMES L. RAYMUR, Auditor.

LIABILITIES.

LOANS.

Water Works Loan, 1873	$ 92,500 00	
" " 1875	50,000 00	
" " 1877	20,000 00	
Corporation " 1878	20,000 00	
Public Lighting " 1885	16,000 00	
Drainage " 1885	5,000 00	
Water Works " 1886	75,000 00	
Streets & Bridges " 1886	50,000 00	
Johnson st Sewer " 1888	30,000 00	
Water Works " 1888	20,000 00	
Streets, Bridges, & Cemetery Loan, 1889	45,000 00	
Water Works Loan, 1889	60,000 00	
" " 1889	70,000 00	
Pleasure Ground Loan, 1889	25,000 00	
Fire department Loan, 1889	15,000 00	
Flour Mill Bonus Loan, 1889	10,000 00	
City Hall Addition Loan, 1890	35,000 00	
Cemetery Loan, 1890	12,500 00	
Sewerage Loan, 1890	300,000 00	
Public Market Site Loan, 1890	45,000 00	
Public Market Buildings Loan, 1890	55,000 00	
Crematory Loan, 1890	10,000 00	
Agricultural Association Loan, 1891	25,000 00	
City of Victoria Act Loan, 1892	182,000 00	
Street Loan By-law, 1892	25,000 00	
		$1,203,000 00
Water Works Current Account		150,190 16
Deposits for use of Streets		330 00
Home for Aged and Infirm, Permanent Building Fund		40 76
Contract Deposit Account		4,376 00
Unclaimed Wages		54 34
Tax Sale Redemption Account		37 87
Outstanding Accounts		1,264 42
		$1,449,293 55

CHARLES KENT, Treasurer.

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURE.

1892.

RECEIPTS.

From 1st January to 31st December, 1892.

Land and improvement tax	$219,672 73	
Water rents and rates	54,240 66	
Trades licenses	22,201 50	
Liquor	15,980 00	
Revenue tax	11,151 00	
" from Provincial Government	5,937 00	
Gravel pits sale by-law	9,756 04	
Fire insurance tax	9,100 00	
Police court fines and fees	6,683 95	
Road tax	3,498 00	
Cemetery fees	2,730 30	
Refund from Provincial Government under sec. 109, Municipal Act, 1892	1,674 42	
Dog tax	968 70	
Pound fees	644 25	
Provincial Government in aid of fire department	1,000 00	
Market fees and rents	1,625 05	
Miscellaneous	5,223 97	
Interest on investment of sinking funds	5,576 36	
		$377,903 94

E. E.
City Hall,
Victoria, B. C., January 6th, 1893.
CHAS. KENT, Treasurer.
Certified correct.
JAMES L. RAYMUR, Auditor.

EXPENDITURE.

Summary of Expenditure from 1st January to 31st December, 1892.

I. City debt	$ 83,207 75	
II. Civic salaries	73,448 03	
III. City institutions (maintenance)	129,459 74	
IV. Education	23,733 58	
V. Municipal council	3,800 00	
VI. Buildings and surveys	3,286 38	
VII. Streets, bridges and sidewalks	30,800 53	
VIII. Miscellaneous expenditure	28,926 01	
		$376,662 02

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DETAILED EXPENDITURE.

Statement Showing the Expenditure for 1892, as brought to Account in the Treasury of the City of Victoria, from 1st January to 31st December, 1892.

I. City Debt—		
Interest on debentures	$ 51,507 90	
" under annual loan by-law, 1892	2,448 62	
		$ 53,956 52
Brokerage and exchange		149 39
Payments to sinking funds	23,525 43	
Interest accrued from the investment of sinking fund	5,576 36	
		29,101 84
		83,207 75
II. Civic Salaries—		
Treasurer's office	$ 5,155 04	
City clerk's "	2,671 67	
Assessor's "	2,790 00	
Janitor	770 00	
Temporary assistance, all departments	319 00	
		11,675 61
Water Works	4,910 00	
Public works	8,169 01	
Board of health	1,800 00	
Police	23,467 43	
Fire department	12,602 05	
Library	1,115 00	

Expenditure continued.

Pound	928 83	
Home for aged and infirm	600 00	
Market	960 00	
Street Lighting	4,537 35	
Cemetery	1,244 00	
Park	1,438 65	
		73,448 03
III. City Institutions (maintenance)—		
Water works	45,743 08	
Cemetery	216 81	
		45,959 89
Board of Health, lepers	994 10	
" " general	59,102 01	
		60,096 11
Park		565 48
Police—		
Clothing	1,893 59	
Keep of prisoners	3,041 15	
Inquests, lunatics, etc	545 50	
Hacks and express	122 25	
Interpreter	64 50	
Washing	17 00	
Sundries	148 10	
		5,742 00
Library		65 00
Fire Department—		
Feed for horses	1,353 28	
Shoeing and blacksmithing	252 87	
Repairs	474 60	
Hardware, oil, etc	473 79	
Medical services, horses	65 85	
Insulated wire	134 00	
Hydrants	600 00	
Chemical engine	2,740 00	
Harness and clothing	371 86	
Fire alarm service	474 60	
Furniture and bedding	139 65	
Scavenger	29 50	
Couplings, nozzles, etc	196 28	
Freight	53 30	
Express hire	6 75	
One horse	300 00	
Fuel	458 00	
		8,124 43
Pound		147 72
Street lighting		4,490 66
Home for aged and infirm		3,347 88
Market		1,020 57
		$129,459 74
IV.—Education—		
Provincial Government	14,130 00	
Board of school trustees	9,603 58	
		$ 23,733 58
V.—Municipal Council—		
Mayor and aldermen	3,800 00	
VI.—Buildings and surveys—		
City Hall repairs	339 85	
Market property	1,229 05	
Fire halls	610 94	
Furniture	396 67	
Defining streets and city boundar's	695 87	
	$ 3,286 38	
VII.—Streets, Bridges & Sidewalks—		
For all purposes	30,800 53	
VIII.—Miscellaneous—		
Advertising and printing	5,153 18	
Stationery	905 61	
Postage	413 10	
Telegrams	75 05	
Telephone service	1,200 15	
Fuel and light	2,210 00	
Hacks and express	291 75	
Fire insurance	241 50	
Commission on collections	158 10	
Legal expenses	2,179 15	
Refund	393 64	
Charitable aid fund	511 52	
Grant to Jubilee Hospital	2,000 00	
Registrar-General re Assessment roll	382 00	
Queen's Birthday celebration	1,000 00	
Election petition, C. Williams	250 00	
Expenses local improvement by-law	332 25	
Sec. 80 B, Fairfield	9,303 47	
Miscellaneous not detailed	1,925 14	
	$ 28,926 01	

CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA.
Loan under authority of the City of Victoria Act, 1892.

1892.			
Amount of bonds sold	$ 182,000 00		
Premium on above bonds having realized 104 net	7,280 00		
		189,280 00	
Accrued interest at 5% on above		196 24	
Difference between sales of substituted 50 year 4½% bonds of 1892 at 98½ net and advance of $85,000 on security of Market site and Market building 50 year 4% bonds of 1890		7,240 26	
		$196,716 50	
Payments made under authority of sub sec. A, sec. 2, City of Victoria Act, 1892			$154,141 41
Payments made under authority of sub sec. B, sec. 2, City of Victoria Act, 1892			6,632 04
Payments made under authority of sub sec. C, sec. 2, City of Victoria Act, 1892			27,001 90
Payments made under authority of sub sec. D, sec. 2, City of Victoria Act, 1892			2,569 20
Interest on advances made before bonds were floated, Sub sec. E, sec. 2			3,014 25
Balance on hand			3,367 70
			$196,716 50

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City Hall,
Victoria, B. C., January 6, 1893.
Certified Correct,
JAMES L. RAYMUR, Auditor, CHAS. KENT, Treasurer.

CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA.
Loan under authority of the Street Loan By-Law, 1892.

Amount of Bonds sold	$25,000 00	Discount on Bonds	$500 00
Accrued Interest	179 58	Expenditure on streets, bridges, sidewalks, to Dec 31, 1892	12,456 81
		Balance on hand Dec. 31, 1892	12,222 77
	$25,179 58		$25,179 58

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CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA.
Loan under authority of the Sewerage Loan By-Law, 1890.

Jan. 1, 1892—		Expenditure on sewerage works from January 1 to Dec. 31, 1892	$96,585 83
Balance on hand	$114,793 04	do. do. do. charged to Alex. McBean	1,477 25
Accrued interest on above	1,949 40	Balance on hand Dec. 31, 1892	18,804 46
Pipe sold	135 85		
	$116,878 29		$116,878 29

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CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA.
Loan under authority of the Crematory By-Law, 1890.

January 1, Balance this date	9,800 00	Dec. 31, 1892, Balance on hand this date	10,410 40
Accrued Interest	610 40		
	$10,410 40		$10,410 40

Certified correct,
JAS. L. RAYMUR, Auditor.
E. E.
City Hall,
Victoria, B. C., 6th January 1893.
CHAS. KENT, Treasurer.

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WANTED—A good plumber with small capital, who thoroughly understands hot water and steam heating; to combine with an old established stove, tinware and hot air business. Apply, Plumber, TIMES Office. de1

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A GOOD NEEDLE WOMAN and Dressmaker wishes work by the day or week. Highly recommended. Terms reasonable. E. C., care of Mrs. Dwyer, corner North Park St. ja10-2w

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SOCIETIES.

B. C. ST. GEORGE'S SOCIETY.
Meetings are held at 7.30 p.m., on the first Friday in every month, at the Pioneer Hall, Broad Street. The aims of the Society are the bringing together of Englishmen for their mutual benefit and the maintenance of the British Connection. JNO. J. AUSTIN, Secretary. ja13

SONS OF ERIN
Meet in Pioneer Hall, Broad St., on second Wednesday in each month, at 8 p.m. All Irishmen are invited to join.
RICHARD ACKLAND, Hon. Sec'y.

SONS OF ENGLAND BENEVOLENT SOC'Y
Pride of the Island No. 131 meets first and third Wednesdays at 7:45 p.m., in St. George's Hall, Government and Bastion Sts. Visiting brethren cordially invited. ARTHUR LEE, P.O. Box 782. au19yr Secretary.

B. C. PIONEER SOCIETY.
The Hall of the above society in Musgrave Block, Broad street, is open daily from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., for the convenience of Pioneers and their friends, who are cordially invited to visit the rooms.

ANCIENT ORDER FORESTERS
Court Vancouver No. 6755, A.O.F., meets 1st and 3rd Mondays in each month in Foresters' Hall, Government street. Visiting brothers are invited.
fe13 SIDNEY WILSON, Sec.

VICTORIA-COLUMBIA LODGE,
No. 1, A. F. & A.M., B.C.R. Regular communications the first Thursday in each month, at Masonic Temple, corner of Douglas and Fisgard streets. Sojourning brethren cordially invited.
ja14 C. DUBOIS MASON, Secretary.

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E. LANGLEY, Scribe E.
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Regular convention every Friday evening at Knights of Pythias Hall, Broad street. Sojourning Knights are cordially invited to attend.
E. PFERDNER, K. of R. & S.
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E. C. SMITH, Secretary.

ARCHITECTS.

THOMAS HOOPER
ARCHITECT.
Office over SPENCER'S ARCADE, Government street. jy5-tf

JNO. TEAGUE,
ARCHITECT,
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Has removed from 85 Superior Street, and the Wilson Block, Yates Street, to the London Block, cor. Broad and Johnson Streets. ja17lw

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DR. METHERELL,
Has removed from Victoria West and Government Street to 106 Yates Street. Telephone No. 80.

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PETER HANSEN
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Yards and cesspools cleaned by contract or monthly. Prompt attention given to all orders and prices reasonable.
Orders left at Dixi Ross & Co.'s and Robert Porter's, Island Market, Johnson and Douglas streets.
Residence, Discovery street, between Government and Douglas. Telephone 124, ja18

JOHN DOHERTY
GENERAL SCAVENGER.
Yards and cesspools cleaned, contracts made for removing earth, etc. All orders left with Jas. Fell & Co., Fort street, grocers; Cochrane & Munn, corner Yates and Douglas streets, or George Doughty, corner Fort and Blanchard streets, will be promptly attended to. Coal and wood for sale c22-1y

MEETINGS TO BE HELD.

Vancouver Island Building Society.

The ninth Annual General Meeting of the above Society will be held in the Sir William Wallace Society Hall, Broad Street, on Friday, the 20th January, at 8 p. m.

BUSINESS:

To receive reports of Board of Directors and the Secretary, and the balancesheet and statements of the Secretary and Treasurer, for the year ending 31st December, 1892.

To elect Officers and the Board of management the ensuing year.

To hold the 64th drawing for an appropriation, and to transact such other business as may be brought before the meeting.

By order
B. WILLIAMS,
Secretary.

N.B.—See that your shares are not in arrears. ja-13td

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that a special meeting of the Shareholders of the Victoria and Sidney Railway Company, in pursuance of the Victoria Sidney Railway Act, 1892, will be held at the Company's office, at No. 28½ Broad Street, on Friday, the 27th day of January, 1893, at the hour of 2.30 p.m., for the purpose (among others) of authorising the Directors of the Company to issue bonds of the Company for $300,000 and authorising the execution of a trust deed in connection therewith, and all other acts and things in the premises.

By order,
ROBERT IRVING,
ja13-td Secretary.

Thunder Hill Mining Company, Ltd.

NOTICE.

The Annual General Meeting of the shareholders of the above Company will be held in the office of the Company, 42 Government street, Victoria, on Tuesday, the 31st January, 1893, at 8 p.m.

The books will be closed for transfer of shares Tuesday, January 24th.

W. H. BAINBRIDGE,
December 31, 1892. Secretary.
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Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital

All claims against this institution up to 31st December, 1892, are required to be sent in at once.

Address to the Hon. Treasurer, P.O. Box 49, Victoria.

For the future all accounts, large or small in amount, must be rendered monthly.

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AMUSEMENTS.

Entertainment

—ON—

NEXT SATURDAY EVEN'G

In the MARKET HALL, at 8 o'clock.

The C. Battery Band will render an attractive programme. Tugs of war between the Army and the Navy, the Fire Brigade and City Police, and British North America and the Chinese Empire. Drills by the Fire Department and others, including The Ladies' Drill under the direction of Miss Armstrong.

—B. C.—

Dog and Poultry Show

NOW ON

—AT—

THE CITY MARKET.

Will continue till Friday at 10 p.m.

Grand Display.

Admission, 25c. Children under 12 years, 10c. Membership ticket, admitting at all times, $1.

D. M. EBERTS, M.P.P., President. R. P. McLENNAN, Secretary.
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ANNIVERSARY BALL

Knights of Pythias

At ASSEMBLY HALL, on

FRIDAY, 27th JANUARY, 1893

TICKETS, $3.00.

PHIL J. HALL,
Secretary General Committee.

SPORTING INTELLIGENCE.

Matters of Interest Going Forward in the Sporting World, Here and Elsewhere.

THE RING.

A BRUISER OF RENOWN.

James Barrington, the well-known light-weight pugilist, and Mike Quilligan, his trainer, are in the city on the way to Tacoma from San Francisco. Barrington is on his way to the Sound city to make a match with the winner of the coming Whalen-Armstrong contest there. While in Victoria he would like to meet any local or provincial man in a friendly contest for points, for a side bet or the gate receipts. In the event of his failing in that he will probably arrange an exhibition. Barrington and Quilligan are well known in the pugilistic world. Both are Australians. The former has defeated "Billy" Hudson, champion of Australia, Sam Fitzpatrick, Jack Farrell and Frank Kelly. Quilligan has trained and handled such men as Jack Burke, Alsck Greggains, Abe Willis and Billy Maher.

ANOTHER COLORED HARD-HITTER.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 20.—Advices from Sydney state that Griffin, the renowned Australian featherweight, was all but knocked out recently in Sydney by Marshall, a colored lad. The police stopped the fight in the twelfth round, and the general impression was that if it had been allowed to proceed Marshall would have won.

FOOTBALL.

CITY VS. DISTRICT.

To-morrow afternoon at the Hill there will be a game between teams composed of City and District players. The following will uphold the honor of Victoria:—Goal, Boyd; backs, Glen, Earsman; half-backs, Tyrrell, Le Maitre, Myers; forwards, Allan, Goward, Cartwright, Heap and Spring. Kick-off at 3 o'clock.

Kwong Wo Treats His Friends.

The Kwong Wo liquor case occupied the whole morning in hearing. Kwong Wo is charged with selling liquor without a license. Ah Sing swore that he paid 30 cents each for two bottles of "gin wine." Deputy Collector Smith swore that he saw Ah Sing get the wine, and analyst McLellan stated that the "gin wine" contained 34.7 alcohol and was stronger than either sherry or port wine. Kwong Wo swore that he never sold liquor. He admitted having it in large quantities in his store. It was there for all his friends. The prosecution proved that the "friends" numbered over twelve daily. Lawyer Walls objected to the testimony of Deputy Collector Smith, stating that he was an informant and that Ah Sing was his "tool," and affirmed that a conviction could not be found upon such testimony. The court reserved judgment till Tuesday next. A similar charge against Wo Sang was also continued till Tuesday.

Do Not Miss

Reading this item. As Lange & Co. did not succeed in selling their business for the figure agreed to to their Eastern friend, nor in disposing of all of their stock this Christmas to the public, and as the building wherein they have conducted business for the last 17 years is to be destroyed shortly and a new one erected in place, under the circumstances Lange & Co. are obliged to reopen in their own place, No. 88 Douglas street, opposite Odd Fellows' hall. Reduced sales will continue until goods which are left are sold. Any one wishing to secure a good going business, established since 30 years, can do so at a very reasonable figure. And the new premises can be rented at a moderate rate.

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The Daily Times.

SIGNALS OF DISTRESS.

The two Tory organs in Toronto have been thrown into a shivering fit by their realization of the fact that the tide is setting strongly against their party in Dominion politics. The prospect of defeat affects them differently, as may be seen from two Toronto dispatches which have found their way out here. The first of these concerns the World, the smaller Conservative champion, which is the property of W. F. Maclean, M.P. for East York. It reads as follows:

The World this morning charges that the leaders of the Liberal party are secretly conspiring to bring about the annexation of Canada to the United States. It says the threat of retaliation, the McKinley bill, the sending of Yankee pressmen to misrepresent Canadian ideas, and the whole policy of American attack on Canada, all had their inspiration in the Reform newspapers and among the Reform politicians. Continuing, it declares that the time for united action has come, and that Canadians who believe in Canada's right to a national existence on this continent must unite to a man and put down the American annexation party in this country, headed by Laurier and Cartwright. In conclusion the World says: There is but one issue in the country to-day, and that is Annexation or British Connection."

It must be plain to every observer that the World would never resort to such inventions as this if it were not rendered desperate by the knowledge of coming defeat. Fright, in fact, has left the junior organ crazy for the time being. Its fears are no doubt well founded, for all signs show that the people have become utterly weary of the Conservative yoke and are ready to throw it off. It may also be set down for a certainty that such insane tactics as these of the World will not avert the Conservative party's defeat. The Empire, apparently, has not lost its head so completely as its smaller colleague. It contents itself with offering a feast of milder jingoism to the country starved under the rule of the party for which the Empire speaks. Thus says the second Toronto dispatch:—

The Empire, in an editorial on the "Government's Programme," says: "A swift line of ocean steamers is to be established, running between Canada and Great Britain. The country is to be made finally independent of the United States aggression upon Canadian canals by the completion of a Sault Ste Marie canal upon our own soil in the course of the present year. The deepening of navigation in the St. Lawrence and elsewhere is to be completed in three years' time. Then vessels will be able to steam from Great Britain into Lake Superior. The Conservative party will continue this policy without looking to Washington City or sacrificing Canadian interests upon the altar of American worship and unpatriotic continentalism. The tariff will be changed, amended and improved as the alterations in fiscal laws in other countries or the changing condition of our own country demand, but always and everywhere Canadian interests will be safely guarded, and so far as human skill and knowledge is available the national policy will be perfected in detail and preserved in principle."

It needs no extra keen perception to find in this plenty of evidence of a panic, though, as we have remarked, the Empire has not been bereft of its senses, like the World. The two organs are trembling with fear, as well they may, for the political situation is growing worse every day from the Government's point of view, and it will be a wonderful remedy indeed that will cure their party's ills. The fuming and ranting of the two Toronto papers will certainly not do much in that direction; they only serve to show the extent of the panic.

THE ENGLISH FARMER.

The Earl of Winchelsea has caused something of a sensation in England by issuing an address to farmers and farm laborers, dealing with the agricultural depression. It appears that the address has been very widely circulated and has attracted a good deal of attention. This is natural, since the subject of which it treats has been so generally discussed of late, and since the Earl is a prominent nobleman and a very extensive landowner. Lord Winchelsea draws a very gloomy picture of the British agriculturist's condition. He says that agriculture is "bleeding to death," and that the present condition of affairs means ruin to landlords, bankruptcy to tenants and no employment or wages for most of the farm laborers. Thus all three classes are partners in one great business and should all join together to save it if they can. And what does the Earl propose? Certainly not "protection" in our meaning of the term. Certainly not extra favors to the colonies, but the very reverse. Here is his plan, as set forth in his circular:

"Now, what I propose is a great national agricultural union for us all, and I ask every one of you to join it. If you do I will undertake that you will have your full share and voice in the control of it. We hope to hold great meetings in different parts of England. Will you come and hear what we have to say, and if you are not near enough to hold meetings among yourselves send representatives, who will be heartily welcome. Fortunately there are several subjects on which we are all united. We shall start on these at once. They are (1) to reduce the unfair burdens upon land; (2) to protect our flocks and herds (especially our pigs) against disease; (3) to bring producer and consumer nearer together by co-operation, so that each of you could sell his eggs, chickens and the produce of his garden and allotment for the best price, for ready money, and at his own door. Then we propose to label foreign and colonial meat, so that those who can afford to buy English meat may know when they get it, and those who want cheap foreign meat may no longer be charged the price of English meat for it. Other and graver questions are before us—let us advance together to meet them and success will be ours. One word more—will you all join us? It will only cost you one penny a month; we will keep clear of party politics, with which the union has nothing to do; and I trust it will not be long before it secures to the owners and occupiers of land a fair return on their capital, and for yourselves better wages and brighter homes."

This is another bit of strong evidence to show that Canada need not hope for preferential treatment in the British market, and that we should set about working out our own salvation instead of dreaming about pleasant remedies which are beyond our reach.

A PROFESSIONAL WORKINGMAN.

A prominent workingman in England refused to take the position of head of the new Department of Labor because he thought he could be of more use to the cause of labor by remaining in the ranks. A professional workingman of Canada, Mr. Ingram, Tory M. P. for East Elgin, got his brother appointed collector of customs on the first opportunity, and now he is about to resign himself and be made postmaster of St. Thomas. He was called before a meeting of the Conservative Association of East Elgin and asked to explain his reasons for having all the fat jobs conferred on his own family. Mr. Ingram's excuse was that he could not afford again to contest the constituency under the Dominion Franchise Act, which was so costly in its operations, that two elections nearly ruined him financially. Of course Mr. Ingram will get the job he is after, as he was mixed up in some crooked Tory transaction at the late elections, and knows a few "secrets." But his opinion of the Franchise Act is instructive.

A GRATIFYING RETROSPECT.

The Congregation of St. Paul's Have Reason to Congratulate Themselves.

The second annual meeting of the congregation of St. Paul's Presbyterian church, Victoria West, was held last evening. There was a good attendance of members and adherents and the proceedings were cordial and harmonious. The Rev. D. MacRae presided.

The report submitted showed gratifying progress and a satisfactory state of all the departments of the church's work during the past year, due largely to a neat and comfortable church with a regular morning and evening service instead of an afternoon service in a rented hall, as previously. The attendance and membership and revenue more than doubled during the year. The building committee presented a final report showing a total expenditure of $3813.24, with a balance on hand after paying the floating indebtedness of $61.74.

The treasurer's report showed a balance in hand from ordinary revenue of $36.18 after meeting all claims for salaries, interest and running expenses, with $30 contributed to church schemes and benevolent objects.

The Sunday school report showed 78 pupils and 7 teachers enrolled with contributions of $101. The special thanks of the congregation were tendered to the ladies for the valuable contribution of nearly $300 towards the building fund during the year. With a total contribution of $723.94 to this object as the result of two and a half years' labor.

The old board of management and officers continue in office for another year.

A COWARD'S RELIGION.

The Khan in Dundas Banner.]

A larger percentage of the passengers than usual attended divine service conducted by Purser Field in the saloon that morning, and the responses to the prayers were unusually hearty.—Newspaper account of the accident to the S. S. Umbria in mid-ocean recently.

It's when our ship is sailing
The calm and friendly sea
With hopeful winds prevailing,
No rock-bound coast alee;
When every hour the brine unfolds
A path to golden sands,
We then forget our God who holds
The ocean in his hands.

But when the Gale King lifts his rod
And roars his awful form,
In fear we cry aloud to God
Who rides upon the storm,
A drop of woe within our cup,
A rage upon the seas,
Helps very much to freshen up
Our dormant memories.

When hurricanes dismember
And whirlwinds dark the day,
We somewhat all remember
The prayers we used to pray.
A cry for help is on our lips
When forced upon our knees;
It turns to laughter when our ships
Are sailing paper seas.

I wonder if the angels
Inside the harbor bar
Have ever sized us up and know
How downright mean we are!
They do not scoff, but rather
They quote our Saviour true
"Forgive them, heavenly Father,
They know not what they do."

WHARF AND WAVE.

Jottings of Interest to Marine Men Concisely Compiled.

Bark Colorado was towed to sea last evening by the tug Lorne.

Steamship Onslow, now at San Francisco, will be the next steamer to go into the Esquimalt dock.

The steamship City of Topeka returned from Alaska on Wednesday. She had an uneventful trip.

The bark Colorado, Captain J. D. Gibson, sailed last night for Valparaiso. She is freighted with a cargo of lumber.

There will not be any sealing schooners depart before Monday most likely. On that day, however, a fleet of about seven will leave.

PERSONAL.

Visitors and Passengers to and from the City and Province.

C. M. Maxwell, of Portland, is in the city.

R. Nightingale, of Nanaimo, is at the Oriental.

Dr. Powell returned from Vancouver last evening.

Thomas Fletcher, M.P.P. for Alberni, is in the city.

F. M. Yorke returned from the Mainland last evening.

J. Sutton and wife returned from the west coast to-day.

Dr. Walkem returns to Nanaimo tomorrow mornihg.

Andrew Keating and wife, of Kokisilah, are at the Driard.

W. J. Rothers and wife, of Duncan's station, are at the Victoria.

Wm. Brown and bride, of Seattle, are registered at the Oriental Hotel.

J. K. Murphy, J. W. MacLeod and C. W. Ferris, returned home to Seattle last night.

Senators McDonald and McInnes left this morning for Ottawa, to be present at the opening of the forthcoming session.

SHORT LOCALS.

Gleanings of City and Provincial News in a Condensed Form.

There was a virgin parade of the Salvation Army last night.

Assembly Hall is being decorated for the Pythian ball next Friday.

A company seeks incorporation for a line of railway from Nelson to Upper Arrow Lake.

Frank McGowen of Vernon, has been gazetted notary public for Yale Electoral district.

British Columbia Southern Railway Company shareholders meet, 45 Fort street, Feb. 20.

Wm. F. Trethaway, of Mission, has been appointed registrar under the "Marriage Act."

Notice of application for the incorporation of Christ Church, Vancouver, has been gazetted.

Victoria theatre shareholders annual meeting is to be held on Monday, Feb. 6, at Driard Hotel.

Girard & Townsend are going to take their shadowgraph exhibition to Wellington for two nights.

C. D. Mason petitions for incorporation for a company that proposes to manufacture cables, ropes and twine.

E. J. Eyres lectured on the Tonic Sol Fa system, Temperance Hall, last night. Mr. Eyres will form a Temperance Choral Society.

Rev. A. B. and Mrs. Winchester mourn the loss of their infant son, who died this morning. The funeral will take place to-morrow.

There will be a large gathering of Indians at Cowichan Wednesday. One hundred and twenty boxes of biscuits will be distributed. Indian dance.

Officers, Uniformed Rank, K. of P.: H. L. O'Brien, captain; Thos. Deasy, first lieutenant; Wm. P. Smith, ex-r; P. Hall, recorder; and J. C. Burnes, treasurer.

Two cases of scarlet fever have been reported to the health authorities. They are at 4 Bridge street and 51 Henry street. The houses have been placarded and guards placed on.

Victoria Council, No. 6, R. T. of T., meets every Wednesday evening in James Bay Methodist Church. Friends living in that part of the city are kindly requested to join the council. A. B. Fraser, S.C., Mr. Booth, R. Sec.

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VANCOUVER ISLAND MARBLE.

Large Fields of Marble Discovered on the West Coast of the Island.

Mr. J. C. Anderson Returns From a Prosperous Trip Up the Coast —What He Found.

Mr. J. C. Anderson, mining expert, who has been exploring on the west coast of this island for two years; in the interests of the Washington Prospecting company of Seattle, returned this morning from Barclay Sound. He went in search of marble and iron and was very successful.

"There is a piece of land near Barclay Sound, six miles wide, which is one mass of marble," said Mr. Anderson to a TIMES representative to-day. "It is the greatest marble country on the contenant, the Tennessee quaries included," continued Mr. Anderson. He brought down with him a large number of samples, which will be sent to Seattle to-night. There is a large variety of marble in the strip, including white, cream colored, mottled, black and variegated.

He also found three good bodies of iron ore in the same locality.

It is the intention of the company to erect blast furnaces on the American side, but if the ore on the west coast is as good and in as large quantities the company will also erect furnaces there.

Last year Mr. Anderson took up a number of quartz and placer gold claims on the west coast. The Washington company have taken over 12 miles of the placer claims and intend to work it. The quartz claims have been taken over by other parties.

During the trip a lot of good agricultural land was passed. Some is in the neighborhood of the sound and more in the Alberni valley.

The ores brought down by Mr. Anderson will be sent across the Sound this evening and Mr. Anderson will go over on Sunday.

Election of Officers.

At the regular monthly meeting of Victoria Division No. 2, Uniform Rank, Knights of Pythias, held last night, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:—Sir Knight Captain, H. L. O'Brien; Sir Knight Lieutenant, Thomas Deasy; Sir Knight Herald, W. P. Smith; Sir Knight Recorder, P. J. Hall (re-elected); Sir Knight Treasurer, J. P. Byrne; Retired Lieutenant, H. A. Duke; Retired Herald, S. Sea, jr. The two last mentioned officers retire and retain their respective ranks in the division. Colonel H. F. W. Behnsen was present at the meeting and congratulated the division on their success during the past year. The retiring captain, Sir Knight S. L. Redgrave, will command the division until Feb. 23, when the officers elect will be installed by Sir Knight M. J. Conlin. On Saturday evening sixteen Sir Knights, in full uniform, will give an exhibition drill at the market building.

Officers of the E.B.L. & I. Co.

The meeting of the Empire Building, Loan & Insurance Co., which was called for last evening was adjourned after a short session until next Thursday at 2 p.m. Mr. H. E. Gannon occupied the chair. The following are the officers selected: J. H. Brownlee, President; Dr. M. S. Wade, Vice; F. G. Richards, Sec.-Treasurer; E. H. King, Auditor; Thornton Fell, Attorney; J. H. Brownlee Valuator. Board of Directors, W. H. Mawdsley, Munroe Miller, Lawrence Goodacre, Wm. Duck, H. M. Yates, J. A. Tepoorten, W. Sparrow, Charles Rattery, A. Brownlee, and M. Salmon.

More Convenient System.

The new finance committee have made a change in the way of making out the city checks. Formerly the checks were signed by the Mayor, city treasurer, auditor and each member of the finance committee. This caused a great deal of delay and inconvenience, the treasurer having to send for the members of the finance committee every time he wanted to issue a check. Hereafter the checks will be signed by the treasurer and auditor and countersigned by the Mayor.

In Chambers.

W. A. Baillie-Grohman vs. the Kootenay Valley Co., limited, for an order to stay proceedings. Order consented to, to stay proceedings and dismiss action, each party to pay their own costs.

Napier, Shanks and Bell vs. C. P. N. Co., plaintiff's application for commission to examine witness. Consented to on understanding that writs on both sides may be examined. Cost of commission reserved for trial judge.

Change of Meeting Night.

Victoria Council No. 2, R. T. of T., will meet on Tuesday evening in future instead of Monday in the Caledonian and St. Andrew's Hall, Blanchard street, near Fort. Members please take notice of the change in the night of meeting. A full attendance of members is urgently requested on Tuesday night, by order of the trustees.

Directors Re-elected.

At the meeting of the shareholders of the B. C. Fire Insurance Company, held last evening, the old board of directors were re-elected. The directors will probably elect their officials next week.

Committed for Trial.

In the police court this afternoon David Morgan, charged with forgery, was committed for trial. Morgan is charged with forging a check for $55 on Captain Sieward.

Aldermen and Trustees.

A special meeting of the city council will be held at the city hall on Monday evening. The school trustees meet at the same place and time.

Canton Meeting.

Canton Victoria, No. 1, P.M., will meet to-morrow evening at Odd Fellows Hall. Regular business will be disposed of.

Glasgow beef hams and finnan haddie by express at Jameson's, 33 Fort St.

Will Have to Connect.

It is possible that as a result of yesterday's meeting of the council the residents on the line of the sewers will be required to connect with the sewers. So far about 20 connections have been made. The question of erecting a quarantine hospital was also discussed.

A Private Wedding.

Mr. Oscar C. Bass, stenographer for Messrs. Bodwell & Irving, was married last evening to Miss Georgiana Coleman. The ceremony was solemnized by Rev. P. McF. Macleod in the presence of the relatives of the contracting parties. Mr. and Mrs. Bass left for the Sound last evening, where they will spend their honeymoon.

Rose of Ettrick Vale.

A full rehearsal of that beautiful Scotch drama, the "Rose of Ettrick Vale, or the Bridal of the Borders," a tale of Auld Lang Syne was held last evening. Every one performed his part satisfactorily. The best local talent have the play in hand, and under the able management of Mr. Jos. Mellon, it will most assuredly be a success.

A Seal Trap.

Capt. Cutler, of the sealing schooner Agnes Macdonald, is going to try something new in the sealing line this year. He has invented a seal trap and has applied for a patent for it. The trap is formed of two rows of teeth and a three forked spear. It is set with a float and baited, and is worked from a boat by a cord. It is expected to work well in calm weather.

Somebody's Wedding Ring.

This morning as Mr. Beaumont Boggs was wending his way to his office he found on a certain street a well-worn, gold wedding ring with a certain inscription on the inside. Mr. Boggs will gladly deliver the ring to anyone who can prove the property by describing it and giving the inscription referred to. The owner should call upon Mr. Boggs at his office in the Williams block, Broad street.

"Tabernacle of Israel."

Lectures on the Tabernacle in Omineca Hall, Oriental avenue, between Yates and Johnson streets, every night, except Saturday, at 7:30. Lord's day at 3:30 and 7:30. Among others the following subjects will be considered: Brazen Altar, Christ satisfying God's claims, Brazen Laver, or the daily washing and the washing once for all, Gold covered boards and silver sockets, or the believer as seen of God.

St. Luke's Entertainment.

At the St. Luke's entertainment in the Market hall Saturday evening, there will be tugs-of-war between C Battery and the Hyacinth men, the firemen and the police, and the Indians and Chinese. Fifty young ladies will give a broom drill exhibition. Miss Armstrong is in charge. The Knights of Pythias will also give an exhibition drill, and the firemen will show how an alarm of fire is responded to. C Battery band will furnish the music for the evening. Admission is placed at 25 cents.

A Dyer of Another Color.

George McCann, a dyer, is a badly abused man. He was in the police court yesterday charged with assault and battery by a woman whom he never saw. The mistake was soon rectified, however, and Mr. McCann feels a little better. It all happened this way: A dye solicitor got some goods from the lady and gave her McCann's card. When the solicitor returned with the goods he and the lady had some trouble, and she, taking her cue from the card, and thinking the fellow was McCann, had the latter arrested.

On Account of the Good Times.

On account of the good times always coming we have determined to make further reductions in dry goods to make room for the stock that is always on the road. We are selling white blankets for $2.50 per pair; flannelette, 8c per yard; seamless black cashmere hose, 25cts per yard; English white sheeting, 25cts per yard; white calico, 8cts per yard; dress goods, 10cts per yard; dress goods all wool, 25cts per yard; heavy winter jerseys, $1.50 each. Russell, McDonald & Co., 134 Douglas street.

Plenty of Smuggling in Alaska.

E. T. Hatch, collector of customs for Alaska, is a guest of the Arlington, says the Post Intelligencer. "I shall return here on Friday," said he, "when I would like to receive bids for making repairs on the government buildings at Sitka, which are in a very dilapidated condition at present. I brought down with me a lot of liquors confiscated by my agents, which I left at Port Townsend to be sold. Yes, there is considerable smuggling going on up our way, but we can do very little to prevent it. Liquor is the principal contraband stuff brought into the territory, and that is brought in by small schooners from Fort Simpson in British Columbia. We can do very little to stop this traffic because we have no vessels to chase these boats down with. The large steamers cannot afford to do any smuggling, although the ship's employes now and then speak in a little liquor. Last year we collected over $5000 in import duties, most of which was on Nanaimo coal, although some was on woolen goods, shawls, etc., some invoices coming direct from London. Besides this, there were 10,000 tons of coal shipped to Western Alaska, the duty of which was paid at the Port Townsend custom house."

DRAWING TO A CLOSE.

Children From the Orphanages Attend the Show at the Market Hall To-day.

Exhibition to Close To-night After a Very Successful Run of Four Days.

The children from the orphanages spent a couple of pleasant hours with the dogs and poultry and the show this morning. The little ones were well pleased with the visit and had a lively time. As the time for closing the exhibition draws near the attendance increases and a big rush is expected to-night, the last night. The attendance all through has been very good and the officers are well satisfied. Another party are coming over from the Sound this evening and will spend the time during the City of Kingston's stay, at the show.

It was late last night when Mr. Hitchcock completed his task of scoring the birds. He had the longest job he has had in his experience, there being such a large number of exhibits. To-day the secretary and his assistants were busy making out the prize cards and it will be late to-night before the prize lists will be in order.

Mr. L. F. Perrin has his Irish setters in a special stall, with the cups and prize cards they have won both here and in England, hung around. The prizes make quite a display.

SOME OF THE PRIZE WINNERS.

PIGEONS—Pouters (blue)—1, Albert Shirk; (any other color), 1, F. Sketch.
Fantails—1 and 2, A. Shirk.
Jacobins—1, S. Jackman.
Barbs—1, R. Merritt.
Trumpeters—1, S. Jackman.
Owls—1 and 2, S. Jackman.
Antwerps—1, S. Jackman; 2, A. Shirk.
Special for best pigeon in the show, won by R. Merritt's Black Barb hen, with A. Shirk's White Fantail hen (reserved) a close competitor.

AQUATICS—Emden goose—1, R. Merritt; 2, Mrs. Conway.
Embden gander—1, R. Merritt; 2, Mrs. Conway.
Toulouse gander and goose—1, Dr. Walkem; 2, Mrs. Conway.
Pekin ducks (pair)—1 and 2, R. Merritt.
Aylesbury ducks (pair)—1 and 2, R. Merritt.
Rouen ducks (pair)—1, W. W. Snider; 2, Flett Bros.
Young Aylesburys—1 and 2, R. Merritt.
Young Pekins—1 and 2, R. Merritt.
Special for best pair of Aylesburys—R. Merritt.
Special for best display of Embden geese—R. Merritt.
Special for best Pekins—R. Merritt.

DOGS—Bull terriers—(dog), 1, W. S. Power's "Crib"; 2, W. Steele; (bitch), 1, E. W. Tuck; 2, A. Hendry; (puppies), 1, J. Harvey; 2, W. Steele.
Fox terriers—(smooth dog), 1, Dr. Pearson; 2, T. Gambling; (smooth bitch), Mrs. L. D. J. Hunt; 2, J Collins; (smooth puppies), 1 and 2, Wm. Harrison; (wire haired dog, bitch and puppies), 1 Dr. Crompton.
Irish terriers—(dog), 1, N. P. Snowden; (puppies), 1, W. McKeown; 2, N. P. Snowden.
Toy terrier—(bitch), 1, Mrs. Conway.
Champion sweepstakes—Mrs. L. F. Perrin's Irish setter "Charlie."

POULTRY—Light Brahmas—Cock, 2d C. W. Riley, 89½. Hen, 1st C. W. Riley, 90½; 2nd C. W. Riley, 90½. Cockerel, 1st C. W. Riley, 90½; 2nd C. F. Beaven, 89½. Pullet, 2nd Mrs. Perrin, 89½. Exhibition pen, 2nd C. F. Beaven, 176.
Buff Cochins—Cock, 2nd Dr. Walkem, 88. Hen, 1st W. McKeon, 92; 2nd Dr. Milne, 90. Cockerel, 1st Dr. Milne, 92; 2nd Dr. Milne, 90. Pullet, 2nd Dr. Milne, 89½.
Partridge Cochin—Cock, 1st R. Merritt, 91. Hen, 1st J. B. Carmichael, 91; 2nd R. Merritt, 91. Pullett, 1st J. B. Carmichael, 93; 2nd J. B. Carmichael, 91. Cockerel, 1st H. Lomas; 2nd J. B. Carmichael, 91½. Exhibition pen, 1st J. B. Carmichael, 179.
White Cochin—Cockerel, 2nd, W. Dean, 89½; pullet, 1st, W. Dean, 91.
Langshan—Cockerel, 1st, R. Merritt, 94½; pullet, 1st, R. Merritt, 91½.
Java—Pullet, 1st, B. W. Lobb, 93.
Houdan—Cock, 1st, Dr. Walkem, 92; 2nd, W. McKeon, 88; hen, 1st, Dr. Walkem, 92; 2nd, W. McKeon, 91; pullet, 2nd, J. Sharp, 86.
Wyandottes—Hen, 1st, C. W. Riley, 91; cock, 2nd, J. Watt, 89; cockerel, 1st, C. W. Riley, 91½; 2nd, Dr. Walkem, 89½; exhibition pen, 1st, C. W. Riley.
Barred Plymouth Rocks—Cock, 1st W. Lindsay, 90; 2nd, W. Lindsay, 86½; Hen, 1st, C. W. Riley, 93; pullet, 1st, Flett Bros., 91; 2nd, C. W. Riley, 90; cockerel, 1st, C. W. Riley, 93; 2nd, Flett Bros., 89; exhibition pen, 1st, C. W. Riley.
White Plymouth Rocks—Cock, 1st, R. P. McLennan, 93½; hen, 1st, Flett Bros., 93; 2nd, F. W. Teague, 92½; cockerel, 1st, T. Haworth, 91; 2nd, R. P. McLennan, 88½; pullet, 1st, T. Haworth, 93; 2nd, H. T. Flett, 92½; exhibition pen, 1st, F. W. Teague; 2nd, R. P. McLennan.
S.S. Dorkings—Cock, 1st, J. Sharp, 90; hen, 1st, J. Sharp, 94; 2nd, J. Sharp 93.
Minorca Hen, 1st, Dr. Walkem, 92½; 2nd, Dr. Milne, 89½; cockerel, 1st, C. W. Lobb, 95½; 2nd, C. W. Lobb, 93½; pullet, 1st, C. W. Lobb, 95; 2nd, C. W. Lobb, 94½; exhibition pen, R. J. Styles.
Andalusian—cockerel, 1st, Jackman; pullet, 1st, Jackman.
S. C. White Leghorn—cock, 1st, C. W. Riley; hen, 1st, Caldwell & Larkins, 94½; 2nd, C. W. Riley, 93½; cockerel, 1st, C. W. Riley, 95; 2nd, C. W. Riley, 94; pullet, 1st, C. W. Riley, 96; 2nd, C. W Riley, 95; exhibition pen, 1st, C. W. Riley, 188½; 2nd, Caldwell & Larkins, 188½.
Brown Leghorns—hen, 1st, C. W. Riley, 94½, 2nd, C. W. Riley, 93; cockerel, 1st C. W. Riley, 93; 2nd, Dr. Milne, 92½; pullet, 1st, Flett, Bros., 94½; 2nd, Flett Bros., 94½; exhibition pen, 1st, John Gardner, 185; 2nd, C. W. Riley, 181½.
Red Cap—cock, 1st, Dr. Walkem; hen, 1st, Dr. Walkem; 2nd, Dr. Walkem; exhibition pen, J. B. Carmichael.
Black Red Game—Hen, 1st, A. Sherk, 92; 2nd, Chadwick, 90½; cockerel, 1st, R. Wallis, 91½; pullet, 1st, Sherk and Wallis (tie), 92.

The Kaffir Choir.

C. A. Lombard received a letter from Charles A. E. Harriss, the well known musical director and manager, at present in Montreal, this morning. He states that he intends to bring the celebrated African native choir, composed of 16 Kaffirs to this continent this year. The choir appeared before Her Majesty the Queen at Osborne last July and made a very pleasing impression. They are freely endersed by the London press and many well-known public personages. Should they come to America they will come to the coast and Mr. Harriss wants them to play in Victoria. Mr. Lombard will probably turn the letter over to the Y.M.C.A. Mr. Harriss was here last as manager for Williams, the boy soprano.

Looking for Sites.

The school trustees were busy to-day looking for room for temporary schools to relieve the overcrowded school buildings. The Market, Philharmonic Hall and the old Methodist church buildings were inspected, and it is possible that the trustees will apply to the council for the use of the Market. The trustees were also looking for suitable sites for new school buildings.

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PIG AND GOAT HUNTING.

Dangerous Adventures in the Southern Alps While Chasing the White Boar.

His Pigship is a Vicious Fighter and His Tusks Slash Like Knives.

It was a party of four sturdy young fellows who found themselves, says the New York World, after a weary and dangerous journey of six days from Westport, on the top of Mt. William of the Southern Alps of New Zealand, in November.

They had pitched their tent in a gully that seemed to have been the refuge of mosquitoes for centuries, but by lying close to the fire and smoking heavy tobacco they managed to get a little rest. They had brought four dogs with them for the purpose of hunting the pig, but whether it was advisable to take them after the goats was a matter of much discussion. Finally it was agreed upon to leave them tied up at the tent.

Early in the following morning they set out, and soon found that a herd of goats had lately been near their last camp. They hastened on in pursuit through a wild, weird country. Sometimes they struggled through a dense forest with thick underwood that greatly impeded their advance and tore their stout buckskin clothing into shreds. Low-growing, beautiful ferns, rough, gigantic brakes and millions of parasitical plants with white and red flowers surrounded them on every side, while a hundred singing birds warbled and flitted merrily from tree to tree. Then again they would be forced to creep on hands and knees over and under immense bowlders, or, with the greatest difficulty, to round a craggy precipice, where the slightest giddiness meant a horrible death in the chasm that waited silently below to destroy the men who had dared tempt its cruelty.

But suddenly dangers were forgotten, for beyond a sharp turn, and about half a mile away, a herd of goats was seen lazily picking up a little food or chewing their cuds; several little kids gamboled about in the heyday of youth and carelessness, while a noble specimen of a buck stood contemplating his kingdom. Approaching warily under shelter of trees or rocks, and against the wind, we could see that he was a magnificent creature, standing over four feet high, with colossal ringed horns of about 30 inches in length; his beard was only a few inches from the ground, and a shaggy black and white coat of long hair gave him a formidable appearance, and made him look much larger than he really was. Our eyes watered with delight as we took stock of him, and each mentally determined to secure the prize.

As we came slowly nearer and nearer the "Billy" became more and more suspicious of some unseen enemy who was threatening the safety of himself or some of his subjects. He sniffed the wind, looked up and down and all around, walked majestically hither and thither, while his family rose and followed. Something had frightened him; what could it be? Look! they are scared and are scampering off.

An expletive escapes each man's lips as we find all our hopes so rudely shattered. But what was the cause? See, there it is. "Well, I'm blest," exclaimed Jack Petiti. "Look, Nero's got loose and has followed us." Sure enough, there was the dog. Every gun was leveled at the poor panting beast to punish him for his faithfulness, but better impulse saved him. No more work for that day. We slept on the spot.

In the morning we secured Nero more firmly and started out again. After two hours' perilous walking, we again sighted the same herd. We came upon them unexpectedly in a patch of small scrub 300 feet away on the side of a precipice that ran down to a sparkling cascade. The scrub prevented us from using our old-fashioned muzzle loaders, so we quietly and carefully cut pieces of the ti-ti tree, and forming them into a kind of bower that hid us from sight slowly and cautiously advanced. Each of us wished to get the buck for the sake of his horns, so we cast lots for the first shot. George Williams won. Inch by inch, and foot by foot nearer we drew while the stones disturbed by the goats above rattled not over-pleasantly down upon us and threatened an avalanche. The wind was blowing strongly against us. Everything was in our favor. Now we are only 100 yards away. A little nearer and we are all right. Keep cool, boys, and don't get excited. Now is the chance! There are seven goats just ahead of us, and in their midst stands the lordly male. Now every gun is thrown to the shoulder. No missing them this time. George has the first shot. He seems a little nervous. He first and down drops the she goat on the right of the buck. Ere our astonishment is over Kerrigan has fired and brought down the buck. Two more reports and two more goats fall, cleanly shot. The others have disappeared.

After three day's hunting we left this field of danger and sport to seek another.

Accompanied by our dogs we started across the ranges for Motucka valley, between which and us many wild pigs scour the forest and field. On our journey, which lasted a week, we dined daily on royal fare. A young kid would serve us better than the most dainty dish of venison, while pigeons, krkas and tuis formed a meal fit for a Lucullus.

Now for the pigs. A few years ago the descendants of Capt. Cook's gift to the Maoris became so numerous in his fertile land that they caused a serious annual loss to the farmers. In their search for roots they destroyed the grass and hence the food of sheep and cattle. A bonus was offered of half a crown—a little more than half a dollar for every pig. This reward aroused the slumbering energies of natives and hunters, and hundreds of pig killers made a handsome living. Their method was to hunt the pigs with dogs trained to fly at the grunters and hold them by the ear until the hunters could give the struggling beasts the coup de grace by sticking them to death with a long pole belted at the end with a short, heavy piece of iron or steel.

Now, however, the pigs are not so numerous, although there are plenty for sport. We had provided ourselves with hunting spears and determined to have as much fun as possible. On the eighth day, as we were meandering through the brush with our dogs at our heels, we were startled by a porcine grunt in our vicinity. The dogs broke away at once to a large clump of thorny bush and out rushed a big sow with a litter of squealing young She dashed straight at the first dog, but not being the kind of game we sought we called off the dogs. The mother, by the love of offspring infuriated, bit, squealed and trampled maliciously around. Her cries brought help in the shape of two huge brown and black boars. What savage looking brutes they are! How quickly they cover the intervening distance. Large flakes of foam fall from their jaws and bespatter legs, face and breast, and their eyes gleam with a wicked flush. Ha, that is the kind of game we want. The dogs recognize a higher and mightier foe, and go for the boars. Each of the dogs spring at an ear, but they are thrown off as if they were rats.

Men and hounds feel that there is to be a warm struggle. We have cast our guns and other impediments from us, and abide our time, spear in hand. The boars strive to slash the dogs with their long curved tusks, but the hounds nimbly evade them, at the same time biting at the flank and ear of the pigs. The latter see us and make desperate efforts to shake of the dogs and attack the men. The excitement increases, for the sow has come upon the scene, and in self-defence we are obliged to dispatch her. One of the boars, with a dog hanging to its leg, makes a rush towards George Williams. He stands coolly awaiting the onslaught, with his feet firmly planted on the earth, and holding the spear poised in both hands. He is a strong man, and we are all sure that he will be lucky this time in downing the first game. Zish—goes the spear into the side of the boar, but instead of falling it rushes on, forcing poor George to the ground. Before we can come to his aid the maddened beast has gashed him twice in the thigh. With a cry of horror we see the ground wet with his blood. But before the brute has time to do further injury the three of us have sent home our spears. Even then the boar tries to rise and do us battle, but Kerrigan falls across him and sends his sheath knife deep into the heart. One of us attends to George, while the other two defend themselves against the second boar, which is killed only after a fierce struggle.

George Williams received two very severe flesh wounds, seven and nine inches long and about 1½ inches deep, respectively. They are sewed together, and George was carried to the camp, where we were obliged to remain a fortnight before the sufferer could proceed.

Sometimes wild boars are hunted on horseback with spears, and this fashion is doubly dangerous.

HE SOLD HIS SON.

This Man Relinquished All Claim on His Boy for a Dollar.

Mrs. Mamie K. Stoddard filed an answer in the Superior Court yesterday to Charles F. Stoddard's bill for divorce. She also filed a cross-bill asking for a divorce on the ground of cruelty and the custody of their child, Charles Harry Stoddard, now nearly two years old. Stoddard some time ago formally relinquished his claims to the child in a bill of sale duly signed and acknowledged, which was recorded August 13th. The instrument runs as follows:

Know all men by these presents that I, Charles F. Stoddard, in the County of Cook and the State of Illinois, the husband of Mamie K. Stoddard and father of the boy Charles Harry Stoddard, in consideration of $1 in hand paid by said Mamie K. Stoddard and for other good and valuable consideration, do hereby release and surrender to said Mamie K. Stoddard all the right which I have to the said child, Charles Harry Stoddard, and to the control and custody of him; and I, Charles F. Stoddard, hereby agree that at no time in the future will I interfere or attempt to interfere with the said Mamie K. Stoddard in the possession of the said child, Charles Harry Stoddard.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 22nd day of July, A.D. 1892.

CHARLES F. STODDARD.

Signed and sealed in presence of Charles E. Julin.

Detective Robert Bruce was instrumental in securing this remarkable bill of sale. Mrs. Stoddard's answer and cross-bill set up a peculiar state of affairs. On June 25, 1889, a marriage was performed at Milwaukee between the parties, and Mrs. Stoddard has a marriage certificate to show the fact. Afterward she says her husband represented that he wished to convince his family in England that he was really married, and to that end desired to send home his marriage certificate. He persuaded her to accompany him again to Milwaukee, where a second ceremony was performed. Her husband wished to allow her to keep the second certificate and send the first to England. Mrs. Stoddard declares that she has reason to believe that the first ceremony was a mock marriage. The two certificates purport to have been issued by the same Methodist minister, the Rev. J. R. Creighton. Mrs. Stoddard says the man from whom she received the second certificate was not the one who performed the first or mock marriage. The date of the second ceremony is May 24, 1890. The same names appear as witnesses on both certificates. The first is all in one hand writing, while the signatures in the second are apparently by different persons.

Mrs. Stoddard, whose maiden name was Schillo, claims that her husband never supported her, but, while they lived together, was supported by her parents at their home, No. 511 Wells street. She charges Stoddard with infidelity.—Chicago Times.

In the Shakespeare Memorial Church.

In front of each seat in the Shakespeare Memorial Church at Stratford-on-Avon there is hung on a hook a thin cushion about 24 by 12 inches. Alongside of each cushion there is pasted this printed notice:

> "Please use this for kneeling only.
> Don't put your feet on it.
> Don't use more than one.
> Hang it up before you leave."

What Peter the Great Liked to Eat.

Peter the Great disliked to have many attendants round him while he ate—'listening lackeys,' as he called them. He loved a dinner as follows: A soup with four cabbages in it, guel, pig, with sour cream for sauce; cold roast meat, with pickled cucumbers or salad; lemons and lamprey; salt meat, ham and Limburg cheese.

A New French Fad.

Delving into the mysteries of the Russian language is the latest French fad. The alliance between the two countries is given as a reason for thorough study of the Muscovite tongue in colleges and high schools.

ARCTIC EXPLORATION.

Possible That the Dream Will Now be Realized.

It now seems possible if not probable that the dream of Arctic exploration will be realized, and that, too, before the close of the of the present century. Lieut. Peary will soon set out again, and proceed this time with the benefit of a recent valuable experience among the icy fastnesses of the far north, and he is to have a formidable rival in Dr. Fridjof Nansen, a sturdy Norwegian, who will attack the problem on a new plan with approved accoutrements and in the light of the latest scientific knowledge of polar currents and ice-drift. The latter intends to set out next June with twelve men, provisioned for five years, in a vessel so constructed that it will rise from between the ice sheets in case of pressure instead of being crushed by them.

Two of the seven boats are capable of holding the entire crew, with provisions for several months and warm tents, in case the ship has to be abandoned. The vessel is rigged as a three master, but has engines of 170 horse-power and will carry a balloon to be held captive for purposes of observation. The lighting will be done by electricity. The expedition will be undertaken under the most favorable auspices. King Oscar has taken great interest in the project and was the first contributor to the fund. Two-thirds of the expenses will be paid by the Norwegian Government and the rest has been subscribed privately, the Royal Geographical Society having also shown its sympathy by making a grant towards defraying the cost of the trip.

The chief of the expedition talks confidently of success. He does not know how long he will be absent. He says he may be away only two years, but feels certain he will be back by the end of five years, and come home by the opposite route to that taken at departure. His confidence is based on the now established fact that, besides minor currents which flow southward in the Arctic archipelago of North America, an immense volume of water flows southward between Greenland and Spitzbergen, much of which is believed to come from the rivers of Siberia and Alaska, and as these waters have a comparatively high temperature the danger from ice may not be so great as is generally supposed. Evidences of the existence of this current are numerous. Driftwood both Siberian and American, is found every year on the coasts of Greenland and Spitzbergen. Pumice stone picked up on the shores of Norway has an undoubted Siberian origin, and so have the dust and wood which have been gathered from ice floes between Spitzbergen and Greenland. After narrating these facts in a recent lecture at the London University, Dr. Nansen stated it as his conclusion that "The natural way of crossing the unknown region is to take a ticket with floe ice, enter the current somewhere near the New Siberian Islands, and let it carry us straight across."

Dr. Nansen will proceed from Norway to Nova Zembla, and thence eastward to the mouth of the Lena, which is approximately in opposite longitude to that of Greenland. Thence he will sail northward till the pack ice renders further navigation impossible in spite of the most strenuous efforts to push the ship through the ice. The plan is to run the vessel as far as may be into the ice and let it stick there for the winter, or perhaps forever. The party will then move on in a northerly direction in the boats on the ice, the expectation being it will be assisted by nature instead of fighting against her. The theory is that the explorers will be taken by the drifting of the ice floes right across the polar region down into the East Greenland sea between Spitzbergen and Greenland, having in this way reached and passed the pole.

By next August or September the explorers will have reached the northern limit of open water north from those islands, and entered upon the region of ice, shut out from the rest of the world, and with no hope of return save in the currents which their leader believes to run right across the polar area. If he be mistaken they may never come back. If the theory on which he is working be correct, and no unprovided for occurrences prevent it, the party will "come out on the other side" after having mastered the problem which it has cost many lives and much money in the effort to solve. Many people may be of the opinion that the discovery, if made, will not be worth what it has cost, but we cannot be too sure of that, for some of the grandest practical results have grown from discoveries that at first seemed to be unimportant. There may be no legitimate ground for hope that a colony can be planted at or near the pole, or even that the new route will ever be commercially practicable, but the achievement may add vastly to the present sum of knowledge, which is almost every day turned to some new account in providing for the wants and increasing the comfort of humanity.—Chicago Tribune.

WHEN YOUR HEART FLUTTERS.

You Are Probably Suffering From Dyspepsia and Nothing More Serious.

"There are few things in life," said an experienced physician to a writer for the New York Ledger, "to which many men and women cling more persistently than to the idea that there is something the matter with the heart. They have a little palpitation, a little fluttering or a little distress, and straightway they have some form of heart disease, and in ninety-nine cases out of a hundred there is no more use in reasoning with them than there is in whistling at the wind. Tell them that they simply have dyspepsia or some form of indigestion and they are as indignant as you can imagine. The idea that they should have anything so common as dyspepsia! And do you know, it took me a good many years to make up my mind why it is that people are so unwilling to admit that they have indigestion, and the most unwilling are those who are very fond of the good things of life. It is the good feeders who think they have heart disease and are angry when they are contradicted. Indigestion suggests cutting off of some of the delicacies of which they are fond, and, of whatever else you deprive them, never meddle with their diet. I think it perfectly safe to assert that out of 1,000 persons who are certain that they have an organic disease of the heart 999 have some form of gastric difficulty. It may be more or less obscure—indeed, it often is—but all the same it's there, and that is the cause of the trouble. Indigestion or dyspepsia, with its many variations, is an awfully common, ordinary disease. There isn't anything very high sounding or dignified about it.

"I had a patient once who by no process of reasoning could be made to believe that he had any disturbance of the digestive apparatus. As long as I called it by any of the ordinary names he was as irritable and disagreeable about it as a really amiable and good-natured man could be. One day he stumbled across a term in something he was reading, and when next he came to me his face was beaming with delight. He had just found out what ailed him, and when I agreed with him he was simply overjoyed. He had a good deal of sharp pain in the region of the digestive apparatus, and when he made up his mind that he had pneumogastric neuralgia he was perfectly willing to be treated for that or any other disease I saw fit to give him medicine for, provided I called his trouble by that name.

"So it is with quantities of these heart disease patients. They will take anything, just as long as they think it is absolutely necessary on account of the condition of their heart; and so, while it goes very much against the grain to do it, I sometimes indulge these whimsical people in the idea that their hearts are out of gear. It is the only way I can help them; and it really doesn't seem to matter after all. I suppose we all have our weaknesses; and, whether we think it heart disease or anything else, we all like to be indulged."

How to Cure a Cold.

The following is the advice given by a prominent doctor for getting rid of a cold: When the first symptoms manifest themselves is the time for action, and this should consist of a hot mustard foot bath before going to bed and a hot draught of milk. The covering of the body should be linen and wool, the former in the way of the sheet and the latter in the blanket. No attempt to get up an active sweating should be made. The foot bath and the warm drink will give a sense of warmth and and facilitate the natural excretion of materials which should pass away by the skin, and any effort to aggravate this will be not only superfluous but harmful. The blanket should never be worn next to the night robe, and should not be so thick as to confine the air next to the body. It is, indeed, often advisable to lighten the covering of the feet, and to preserve a certain amount of weight over the loins, and to have the shoulders protected from the external surroundings in general. The last measure is not to be underrated. A sensitive lung carries with it susceptibility to take to itself everything that could possibly affect it to its detriment. Lung diseases belong to sensitive persons, and may or may not be the sequence of a cold. The majority of them, however, can be traced to imprudence in dress and exposure. Pneumonia, pleurisy and consumption are partners of carelessness in the dressing of the chest and back, and "colds," which might stop at the throat by a little prudence, are their apprentices. If you have unconsciously contracted a cold and want to get relief from it, you must, in the first place, avoid too much medication. A properly clad skin and a clear digestion ought to shorten the life of the "cold." If a little comfort can be secured by wearing a light covering on the head during indoor hours, it should be respected. Ventilation of apartments comes in for a slight amount of attention, and it should be simply sufficient to furnish fresh air and not to produce currents which can be appreciated. Nothing is more fallacious than the belief that health is promoted and life prolonged by air in excess, and this is proved by tombstones. There are a few good remedies which appeal to us as matters of tradition. Our grandparents used them with effect, and we might follow their example without injury. One of these is sassafras tea, another is boneset tea and another is senna tea. Each has its office, and each is of value in its peculiar line, and at the same time is harmless.

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War Declared on the Wolves.

VIENNA, Jan. 19.—The governor of the Russian Government of Novgorod has sent a battalion of infantry, 300 Chasseurs and 200 Cossacks to Tikhvin to kill the wolves which infest the forests around that city.

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	12.30 P M	6.56 P M		NANAIMO	10.30 A M	2.15 P M		
	12.10	6.41	2	Wellington	10.50	2.04	2	
	11.45 A M	6.19	7	Nanaimo Lake	11.15	1.39	7	
	11.30	6.05	9	Cedar	11.30	1.25	9	
	11.10	5.50	12	Extension	11.50	1.05	12	
	10.50	5.31	15	Duncan's	12.10 P M	12.45	15	
	10.37	5.18	17	Somenos	12.23	12.32	17	
	10.21	5.02	20	Koksilah	12.39	12.16	20	
	10.13	4.54	22	McPherson's	12.47	12.08	22	
	10.03	4.44	24	Cobble Hill	12.57	11.58 A M	24	
	9.56	4.34	26	Shawnigan Lake	1.04	11.51	26	
	9.45	4.23	28	Quamichan	1.15	11.40	28	
	9.35	4.13	30	Duncan's	1.25	11.30	30	
	8.15	2.55	45	Nanaimo Ferry Slip	2.45	10.10	45	
	8.10	2.50	45½	Nanaimo	2.50	10.05	45½	
	Dp.	Dp.			Ar.	Dp.		

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12 15 am	Lv	72	Pt. Townsend.	55	Lv	11 30 am
2 45 am	Lv	101	..Anacortes..	21	Lv	9 15 am
7 45 am	Ar	123	..Fairhaven..	3	Lv	8 00 am
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11 00 pm	Lv	28	...*Seattle....	58	Ar	8 00 pm
12 30 am	Lv	30	.Port Madison	47	Lv	2 10 pm
	Lv	45	..Kingston...	41	Lv	
3 00 am	Lv	69	.Port Gamble.	21	Lv	11 00 am
4 00 am	Lv	73	.Port Ludlow.	13	Lv	10 00 am
6 00 am	Ar	86	‡Pt. Townsend	M1	Lv	8 00 am

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How Noted People Have Died.

King David died of old age, says the St. Louis Globe-Democrat; Louis XVI. died on the scaffold; Richard III. was killed in battle; Abraham Lincoln was assassinated; James A. Garfield was assassinated; Charles I. of England was beheaded; Louis V. was poisoned by his queen; Mustapha II. was strangled in prison; Darius Codomanus was killed in battle; Attila the Hun died in a drunken spree; Millard Fillmore died of paralysis at 74; Andrew Johnson died of paralysis at 67; Achmet III. was strangled by his guards; Chester A. Arthur died of apoplexy at 56; Louis I. died of a fever during a campaign; James II. died in exile of gluttonous habits; Nerva was supposed to have been poisoned; General Grant died of cancer of the throat at 63; Emperor William of Germany died of old age; Tiberius was smothered by one of his favorites; Louis V. was poisoned by his mother and his wife; Solyman I. was dethroned and murdered in prison; Henry VI. of England was murdered in prison; Mustapha I. was deposed and strangled in prison; Charles III., Le Fou, was deposed and died in prison; George IV. died from a complication of disorders; Feodor II. of Russia was assassinated in church; John Adams passed away at 91 from senile debility; Queen Anne died of dropsy, brought on by brandy; Gregory V. was driven from Rome and died in exile; Louis Napoleon died in exile at Chiselhurst, England; Adolphus of Germany fell at the battle of Gelheim; John Tyler died at 73 from a mysterious disorder; Richard II. is supposed to have been starved to death; Jehoahaz, king of Juda, died in captivity in Egypt; Lothaire of France, was poisoned by female relatives; George I. died from apoplexy, induced by drinking; Pope Lando was supposed to have been poisoned; Feodor I. of Russia was deposed and died in prison; Gustavus Adolphus was killed in the battle of Lutzen; Sultan Musa-Chelebi was deposed and strangled; Pope Donus II. died suddenly, presumably by poison; Pope John X. died in prison, it is believed by poison; Solomon died of weariness at the vanity of human life, and Josiah, king of Judah, was killed in battle at Mejiddo by an arrow.

Humble Birth of Noted Men.

History has taught us that no circumstances are too humble for a child born into them to rise to eminence. It has also, acording to the New York Ledger, taught us that poverty is frequently a help rather than a hindrance, and that the right kind of a man will make circumstances bend to his purposes and not let circumstances bend him. There is a breed of heroes, which is never extinct in any age of the world, who delight in obstacles, and who make poverty, disadvantages and youthful deprivations only serve as the rounds of the ladder by which they climb to greatness. They do not sit down and whine because others are more fortunate than they. They take fortune as it comes, unmurmuringly, and by a kind of mysterious alchemy, as it were, transmute misfortunes into benefits. Thus the greatest men the world has ever known were born low. Socrates was called by Plato "the wisest of men," and posterity has almost unconditionally sanctioned Plato's view. Yet Socrates was the son of a day laborer. Epictetus, one of the profoundest of the sages of antiquity, was the son of a day laborer and was himself a slave.

Abraham Lincoln and Sir Isaac Newton, who made, perhaps, the most startling discovery—the law of gravitation—that has ever been vouchsafed to human investigation, were the sons of poor farmers. When Newton was born he was so small he was washed in a quart bowl, and his youth was puny and weak. The great Roman Emperor Diocletian was the son of a slave. Virgil, the greatest of the Roman poets, was the son of a porter. Henry Wilson, afterward vice-president of the United States, was the son of a poor and shiftless farmer. Benjamin Franklin was the son of a soap boiler. The father of Demosthenes, the greatest orator of antiquity and probably of all time, was a blacksmith. John Keats, one of the most delicately tuned poets England has produced, was the son of a stabler.

But few great men have been developed from among the poor of cities. The dwellers in the wretched tenements of the large cities do not train children to greatness. The fresh air, the healthy surroundings, the wholesome influences of the country are lacking. The crowded tenements of the city usually train up the children born under their evil influence to lives of crime, degradation and depravity. The germs of greatness rarely flourish there.

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CANADIAN NOTES.

News by Mail and Wire from all Parts of the Dominion.

Deputations are flocking to Ottawa, urging appropriations for public works.

The public school at Essex was burned. The children were marched out safely. Loss, $11,000.

Hon. J. D. Cameron, the new Provincial Secretary of Manitoba, has been re-elected in South Winnipeg by acclamation.

Kenneth Chisholm, who recently resigned his seat in the Ontario Legislature, has been appointed by the Ontario Government registrar of Peel county.

Wm. V. Maclise, one of the best-known barristers of the Saskatchewan district, and for many years a resident of Prince Albert, died at his home there on Thursday.

The residence of Thomas C. Ross, of London, was burned. The parents had to throw their children into a snow bank from the upper window and jump out, so rapidly did the fire spread.

The Toronto World says it is informed that Edward Farrer is authority for the statement that Goldwin Smith will start an annexation paper in that city in April with a capital of $200,000.

The value of exports for the past six months show an increase of two million and a half, the imports an increase of half a million. The duty collected increased a quarter of a million dollars.

The Ontario Government has promised to make a money grant for the reception of the British Association for the Advancement of Science, which is to be invited to meet in Toronto in 1895.

Nova Scotia has been allotted 8000 feet in the mineral building at the World's Fair for the provincial mines exhibit. New Brunswick, Prince Edward Island and Manitoba get a hundred each.

Warren Walker, merchant, of Moncton, N. B., charged with passing notes on the Bank of Nova Scotia to the amount of $1500, was arrested near Malone, New York state, and taken back to Moncton.

A baby farm, kept by a negro and his wife, who have nursed 50 children during the past eighteen years, has been discovered in the outskirts of Hamilton. The place is in a filthy condition, and steps will be taken to close it.

A strongly worded resolution upholding Dalton McCarthy and denouncing the hostile attitude assumed by the Toronto Empire to that gentleman was unanimously carried at a meeting of Orangemen of Innisfil in North Simcoe.

Recently a young man, claiming to have met with hard luck and to be a brother of the Rev. R. P. Bowles, of Gravenhurst, managed to secure loans of considerable amounts from Toronto ministers. It has been discovered that he was an impostor.

A hundred freight cars are standing at Little York station, having been stopped in transit from the east by blockades of snow west of Toronto. Railway men say that the snowfall between Stratford and Toronto is unprecedented in the last ten years.

At a recent meeting of the Montreal council Mayor McShane and Ald. Prefontaine got into a heated discussion over a point of order, which ended by the mayor referring to the alderman as a "cur." A hand to hand fight was prevented by cooler members of the council.

The position of manager of the Canadian Pacific Railway lake steamships has been abolished, consequent on the steamships having for working purposes been attached to the Ontario division of the railway. Heny Beattie, who has filled that office ever since the beginning, will continue his connection with the company in an advisory capacity especially in relation to new ships.

Judge Peters, at St. John, N.B., sentenced Dr. Randal and C. B. Welton to the penitentiary for five years. The prisoners were recently found guilty of defrauding insurance and benefit associations of the United States out of large amounts by effecting "graveyard" insurance upon a number of people in Nova Scotia. The sentence will not be enforced, however, until the hearing of a writ of error and *certiorari* proceedings in the Supreme Court.

The eastern clerks of the Bank of British North America strongly object to a circular issued from the head office in Montreal to the effect that they must take holidays this year so as all to be back to work before September 9th. The holidays will, therefore, have to commence at once, and they do not relish an order which compels them to take summer holidays in January. Another objection to the order is that it will prevent them attending the World's Fair.

A Prince Albert dispatch says Rev. Father Gasle, of Reindeer Lake, 700 miles northeast of that town, arrived there last night. The Rev. Father has spent 33 years of his life as a missionary at Lac de Brocket post, and during that time has not even visited the confines of civilization. He is now en route to Paris to attend the Council of Oblats of Mary the Immaculate, to be held there in a short time. Father Gasle traveled the entire distance by dog train and was 21 days on the road.

The Manitoba Government deny the report that Dalton McCarthy will represent the province in the appeal of the Roman Catholics for remedial legislation re the schools, to take place at Ottawa on Saturday. The government has received word from the Ottawa authorities that the appeal will be heard, but they decline to send representatives to the hearing. The ministers say it is not considered that any public interest would be served by retaining counsel to argue for the province.

The Medical and Surgical Society of Ottawa, after a stormy meeting, adopted a resolution to request the board of the Protestant hospital not to admit outside physicians to attend occupants in private wards. After a lot of warm talk, mixed, it is said, with a number of polite medical personalities, Drs. Wright, Rogers and others stated that they never meant to imply that city outside doctors were incompetent, but referred to quacks who might come from other parts and demand the right to practice in the hospital. They apologized for the supposed insult and promised to set the matter right publicly at an early date. Nearly every physician in the city was present.

The Globe announces that a call has been issued by the leaders of the Liberal party in Ontario for a meeting on the 24th in Toronto, for the purpose of consulting as to the best mode of perfecting party organization. The executive of each riding association has been asked to arrange for the selection of two delegates to meet the Liberal members of the Dominion and Provincial parliaments and the Liberal candidates at the last election, for the purpose of organization. It is not proposed that this shall be a political convention to decide matters of policy, but a purely private business meeting.

The Nova Scotia Legislature was opened Thursday afternoon by Lieut.-Governor Daly, who, in his speech, said:—"I desire to avail myself of your advice in a matter of immediate importance, and therefore have summoned you to meet at an earlier date than usual, and before the completion of the public documents necessary to the proper consideration of the ordinary business of the Province. The special business which has led up to this early meeting of the Legislature, and which will be laid before you immediately, relates to our mineral wealth. Encouraged by the provisions of the Mines and Minerals Act of last session, capitalists have come forward to undertake extensive coal mining operations. The high financial standing and known enterprise of the parties, and the investments they have already made on the faith of assurance given them, are a guarantee of their intention to vigorously prosecute the work they have undertaken, which I feel assured will largely increase the revenues and beneficially affect the many interests connected with the coal trade, while it will, I trust, at the same time yield to the investors the liberal return which their enterprise will so well deserve. I invite your most careful consideration to the bill which will be submitted to you to confirm the arrangements which my Government has made with the parties who have undertaken this very important work."

French Monarchist Plans.

PARIS, Jan. 19.—The Comte d'Haussonville, leader of the Monarchist party and general representative of the Comte de Paris, has formulated the Orleanist programme in a long leader to M. Edouard Herve, editor of Le Soleil. After drawing a dark picture of the corruption revealed by the Panama Canal investigations and the consequent consternation among the true friends of France, he denies the charge that the Monarchists have tried to aggravate the scandal. The role of conspirator was congenial neither to himself nor to any of his friends. Nobody could doubt that the time had come when a strong hand and a strong will were needed at the head of the French people. The attention of the people at large was absorbed by the government now in power; all having anything to lose were alarmed by the Socialist war now waged against capital. The Government had no power to stem this movement. The Monarchists ought to assume the leadership and direction of public opinion in this emergency. A league to sustain public integrity and to protect society should be formed, as the Government was absorbed in cares for the public defense. The organization of the Monarchist movement was complete and and the Monarchists should now seek to make all the Conservative and Liberal alliances possible without distinction. Precise instruction should be issued before the beginning of the general elections. It would be premature to submit a plan for a form of government so far in advance of the elections, especially when the Conservatives themselves had not agreed upon any one form. Meantime, it was necessary to prepare for the conflict and for unforseen emergencies, as a violent crisis was inevitable. When the people of France should tire of the Republic, the Monarchist party would be ready to defend the cause of law and order, to drive back the enemies of society and to place the institutions of France upon enduring foundations. That which today seemed chimerical, would then become easy and legitimate. In anticipation the Monarchists were bound by loyalty to France to organize with all the forces they could rally to their assistance, and prepare the way for their Prince of Orleans.

They Wanted Bread.

BRUSSELS, Jan. 19.—Early this evening 800 unemployed persons gathered at the Place de la Constitution and were addressed by several anarchist agitators. The speakers told them that the city belonged to the workers and exhorted them to take all the food and clothes they needed from the shops. The men raised the cry "To the Bourse!" About a dozen men drew bundles of red flags from their coats and distributed them and the mob started down the Avenus du Midi, waving the flags and shouting against the capitalists. At the Place Rouppe seven gens d'armes tried to stop the mob, but they were thrown down and beaten before they could draw their swords. A call for reinforcements was sent to the central police station, and sixty gens d'armes reached the Bourse just as the foremost men in the mob were mounting the steps. The gens d'armes drew their sabres and ordered the mob to disperse. The men still pushed their way up the steps. The gens d'armes then charged, cutting right and left. The workingmen fought back with clubs and stones. Several gens d'armes were slightly wounded and many workingmen were cut. A gen d'arme knocked down the leader with the flag of his sword and captured the large red flag which the man had carried at the head of the mob. After a ten minutes' struggle the rioters were dispersed. Meanwhile the Socialist and Anarchist speakers had incited some 200 men about half a mile from the Bourse to attack the shops. They broke into six bakers' shops, took all the bread they wanted and threw the rest into the street. As they started for another shop the police appeared with drawn swords and dispersed them.

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WM. WHITTAKER,
E. ESCALET,
THOS. CARTER,
} Executors.

Victoria, Jan. 17, 1893.—1w

NOTICE OF ASSIGNMENT.

Pursuant to the "Creditors' Trust Deeds Act, 1890."

Notice is hereby given that Edward Black Carmichael and James Paterson, both of the City of Victoria, in the Province of British Columbia, carrying on business under the firm name of "Carmichael & Paterson" as dealers in boots and shoes, have assigned all their real and personal property (except as in the assignment reserved) to Henry Meyers Yates of the said City of Victoria, Insurance Agent, in trust for the purpose of paying and satisfying the claims of all creditors of the said Carmichael & Paterson rateably and proportionately and without preference or priority. The said deed is dated the 12th day of January, A.D. 1893, and was executed by the said Assignors and the said Trustee on the 12th day of January, A.D., 1893.

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W. G. STEVENSON.
J. B. JONES.

Victoria, Dec. 19th 1892.

"LAND REGISTRY ACT."

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[L.S.] C. J. LEGGATT,
Registrar General.

Land Registry Office,
Victoria, 19th October, 1892. oc21-3m

"Land Registry Act."

Section Fifteen (15), Range One East, South Saanich District, excepting three acres thereof as described in a conveyance dated the 16th day of January, 1873, and made between George Thomas, of the one part, and Alexander Caulfield Anderson and William Thomson, of the other part.

A Certificate of Indefeasible Title to the above property will be issued to George Thomas on the first day of March, 1893, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to me, in writing, by some person claiming an estate or interest in said property, or some part thereof.

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In view of the low rate of interest given by the Dominion Savings Bank Department, and the restrictions imposed as to the amount to be deposited, this Company is now prepared to receive money on deposit, in large or small amounts, at interest at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum, and on favorable terms as to notice, etc.

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SALE

AT THE

Stanley House

TO MAKE ROOM

For the Large stock of Spring and Summer Goods being purchased and personally selected by Mr. Hampson in Europe, we will offer our LARGE STOCK at

Greatly Reduced Prices

We have some nice, stylish things left in Jackets, Sealette Cloaks and Furs, that we will sell AT COST.

Our stock of Dress Goods, Trimmings, and General Dry Goods, is well assorted and will be sold at reduced rates.

We will always be pleased to show goods to anyone wishing to see them (as everyone should), before making their purchases elsewhere.

W. S. HAMPSON CO

Stanley House,

CORNER FORT AND DOUGLAS STS.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

MAP

—OF—

British Columbia.

In order to meet a demand which extends all over the Dominion, we are now publishing our

Celebrated Wall Map of British Columbia

In the form of a convenient pocket map, printed on the finest quality of bond paper bound in silk cloth, and every district beautifully colored. This map, which bears the Provincial Coat of Arms under the authority of a special Order-in-Council passed in June last, has been pronounced by the press throughout the Dominion as the

Finest Map of the Province Ever Published.

It will be on sale immediately at all the book stalls and news stands and on trains.

PRICE, 75 CENTS AND $1.00.

Withhold your patronage from more expensive and less accurate maps until you have seen this marvel of cheapness and utility.

DOMINION PUB. CO.,
ja17-1w VANCOUVER, B. C.

THE JAPANESE BAZAAR,

Largest Stock of New Goods and at very Low Prices.

Fresh Importations by Every Steamer.

T. S. FUTCHER,

Importer and Retailer.

41 FORT ST., VICTORIA, B. C

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BARGAINS

Decided to Clear Out the following Lines of Goods:

Women's Wool Stockings, from 15c. a pair.

Dress Goods, from 10c. a yd.

Flanelette, 12 yds. for $1.00

Men's Undershirts and Drawers, 25c., 50c., 75c. and $1.00 each.

Men's Flannel Shirts, $1.00 each.

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J. Horner & Co.

Leather on Skirts

MAY be the "latest," but it is much better to have the feet well protected by good leather.

Would you have your feet well protected?

Then go to

A. B. Erskine,

Corner of Government and Johnson Streets, who keeps the best line of

Shoes

in all colors, styles and materials, in the City.

"Reindeer Brand" Condensed Tea, Coffee and Cocoa are the most convenient and economical preparations for the household. All grocers sell these goods. *

COMPLIMENTED BY THE BAR.

Judge Bole in a New Role—Burnaby Municipality Rather Tangled Up.

NEW WESTMINSTER, Jan. 20.—Judge Bole was complimented yesterday by Lawyer Charles Wilson, on behalf of the bar, on sitting as a judge of the Supreme Court for the first time in this city.

H. Eyre, committed for setting fire to Morse's mill at Vancouver on December 15th, was brought over for trial here. He comes up on Monday.

Though Burnaby municipality has only been in existence a few months, dissatisfaction is already freely vented at the manner of conducting business, and the electors are demanding an explanation.

Though not yet authoritatively announced, there is talk that there is to be a meeting at Vancouver on Tuesday evening of the representatives of that city, Westminster city and district, and, as nearly as possible, of the whole province, to discuss the present situation in provincial politics and to take steps to support the advocates of proper legislation in the House, during the forthcoming session, in no uncertain manner.

James McNamara is suing the city for $5300 alleged damage to his property by cutting down the level of certain streets.

The question of religious instruction in public schools is exciting considerable discussion here in the press and otherwise.

The report that the Bell-Irving Paterson Company were closing out their wholesale business here is emphatically denied by that firm.

Young Nash who was drowned in Burnaby Lake yesterday will be buried on Saturday afternoon. The accident has caused much sorrow as the boy was a great favorite. The school trustees are greatly blamed for giving a public holiday to allow the boys to go skating when they had not ascertained that the ice was safe. The coroner's inquest revealed nothing of interest and a verdict was found according to the facts.

OBJECT TO SUB-CONTRACTS.

Possibility of Conflict Between Trades Council and Corporation—Rugby Players.

VANCOUVER, Jan. 20.—The Trades and Labor Council is apt to come into serious collision with the city council. Contractors on city work are forbidden to sub-let any part of a contract, and a deputation from the Trades Council has stated to the board of works and the city solicitor that they saw contracts between D. McGillvray, who is doing street paving, and some stone cutters, who have sub-contracted for dressing curbstones. The city solicitor says he has not sufficient evidence of the sub-contract, and has not taken action. The Trades Council will not likely let the matter drop now.

The Cingalese exhibit to the World's Fair will be kept here till the next Empress with the men to put it up, and all will go forward by special train.

The following junior Rugby team left for Victoria this afternoon:—E. Miller, captain; F. Miller, W. Miller, Smith, Short, Hawamans, Madill, Campbell, McDougall, McGillvray, Quann, Scullto, Hilt, Wheeling, Connon. Al. Larwill goes as general manager.

Silk by the Empress of India from Yokohama reached New York in 20 days; that by the steamer Peru took 22.

Died in the Asylum.

Charles Pusey, the man who was adjudged insane the other day and sent to Westminster asylum, died there today of cerebral trouble. A telegram to that effect reached Mr. Allan at the city lockup this afternoon.

Sample Chocolate Free.

A postal card addressed to C. Alfred Chouillou, Montreal, will secure you samples of Menier's delicious imported Chocolate, with directions for using.

For fine ball programmes, invitation, wedding and visiting cards, and all kinds of commercial work, maps, checks, billheads, letter and note heads color labels, etc., etc., go to to the Victoria Lithograph Co., cor. Yates and Government streets, up stairs; entrance Yates street. Orders taken at the TIMES office. *

Sealers are fitting out at McLennan & McFeely's. *

DIED.

LEHMAN—In this city on the 19th instant, Cyril William, infant son of Samuel and Elizabeth Lehman, aged 2 months and 11 days.

The funeral will take place on Saturday, at 2.30 p.m., from the family residence, corner of Richmond Avenue and Leighton Road.

Friends will please accept this intimation.

WINCHESTER—In this city on January 20th, Alexander Wardrobe Winchester, aged 1 year and 17 days, infant son of Rev. A. B. and Euphemia Winchester.

The funeral will take place from the family residence, Sylvia Street, on Saturday, January 21st, at 2.30 p.m.

BIRTH.

SMITH—At 85 Fort Street, on the 20th inst., the wife of G. A. Smith, C. E., Alberni, of a son.

WANTED—A servant girl for a small family. Apply at No. 36 Menzies street. j20

AT PISTOL POINT.

The British Steamship Bawnmore Boarded by Armed Men Who Commit Violence.

Five Men Taken Under Threat of Death, and the Boatswain Locked in His Cabin.

NANAIMO, Jan. 20.—A daring raid was made on the British steamer Bawnmore on Wednesday night, when five of the crew were taken from the vessel at the muzzle of revolvers. The boatswain, refusing to accept $20 and leave the vessel, was locked in his stateroom, while the raiders accomplished their task. When he got out and informed the chief officer they were clear of the ship. The crew could make no resistance as they were informed they would have their brains blown out unless they did as they were told. The crew shipped in the Bawnmore in the old country and did not want to leave the vessel, but were compelled to. Capt. Woodside expressed no regret on being told what had transpired during his absence but was somewhat annoyed at being beaten by the union. Two men of the ship J. B. Brown have been arrested for being implicated in the affair, but it is very unlikely that they will be proved guilty. The vessel sailed yesterday afternoon expecting to get a crew at Victoria. The city and provincial police will watch the actions of the Coast Seamen's Union very closely in future.

Great indignation is felt in the city in reference to the employment of Chinese in the underground workings of the Wellington mines. Ever since the last explosion out there the non-employment of Chinese has been rigidly observed both by the Wellington company and the New V.C. Co., but it is now reported on good authority that the former have broken the promise made to the miners after a number of their comrades had lost their lives through the carelessness of the Chinese.

The Y.M.C.A. Football club has been reorganized and preparations made on an extensive scale for a series of matches with all the different clubs in the province.

John McLeod, a miner, employed at No. 3 shaft of the New V. C. Co., yesterday fired a pot-hole of gas and was badly burned about the hands. Dr. Praeger attended the man's injuries.

Rev. A. E. Green united Mr. W. Orr and Miss Carrie Stewart yesterday in marriage and the young couple left on the morning train for Victoria, where they are now spending their honeymoon.

Grand Patriarch H. Waller of Victoria, successfully installed the officers of the Nanaimo Encampment, I.O.O.F., last night. He will proceed to Wellington this evening for the purpose of performing a similar service there.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

JOHNSON & CO.

WILL SELL BY

AUCTION

AT THEIR

NEW SALE ROOM,

58 Broad Street,

TO-MORROW

FOR ACCOUNT OF

Whom it May Concern,

A Miscellaneous consignment of goods and merchandise, consisting in part of canned fruit, vegetables and fish, including 3 cases tomatoes, 2 of peaches, 1 of pumpkins, 4 of beans, 1 of peas, 3 of strawberry, 1 of raspberry, 2 of pears, 2 of apples, 2 of corn, 1 of condensed milk, 1 of salmon, 1 of lobster, 4 chests and 12 caddies fine tea, 2 boxes toilet soap, 1 chaff cutter, 1 coffee mill, show case, incubator, 1 bedroom suite, quantity skins, furs and fur trimmings, box tobacco, gas cooking stove, etc., etc.

Sale to commence at 2 p.m. sharp.

D. JOHNSON,
ja20 The Auctioneer.

Home for the Aged and Infirm.

TENDERS

Tenders for the supply of Groceries, Meat, Bread, Milk and Coal, for the use of the above institution, from 1st February, 1893, to December 31st, 1893, will be received at the City Clerk's office before 4 p.m., on Tuesday, the 24th inst.

Lists and samples of the articles can be seen at this office. Security for the due performance of the contract will be required in each case. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

By order,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
City Clerk.
City Clerk's office, 20th January, 1893.—td

NOTICE.

Tenders will be received by the undersigned until the 31st January, 1893, for the purchase of Lot 615, Victoria City, having a frontage of sixty feet on Herald street by a depth of 120 feet, together with the 5-roomed cottage situated thereon, which property belongs to the estate of the late John Stevens. Tenders to be addressed, Wm. Whittaker, 128 Government street. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

WILLIAM WHITTAKER,
E. ESCALET,
T. W. CARTER.
Trustees of the Estate of the said John Stevens, deceased. j20-3t

NOTICE.

Two bay horses have been running in the enclosures on the ranch of the undersigned at Pike Lake, Highland District. If the same are not claimed in 10 days from the date of this notice and all expenses paid they will be sold by public auction. Both horses are branded. Application to be made at 51 Langley street, Victoria.

HENRY DUMBLETON
January 20, 1893. j20-3t

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On Improved Property at Moderate Rates of Interest.

STRAIGHT LOANS FOR A TERM OF YEARS.

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ARTHUR ROBERTSON,
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Chase and Sanborn's Coffee

The *quality* of the *Coffee* we sell under our *trade mark* is our best advertisement.

This Seal is our trade mark, and guarantees perfection of quality, strength and flavor.

BOSTON. MONTREAL. CHICAGO.

I have handled $30,000 worth of business during 1892, and my accounts balance!!

I have also handled $30,000 worth of business during 1892, and MY accounts balance.

But I am Sick

OF DOING BUSINESS THAT WAY.

A balance is a handy thing to have in any business, but it should consist in part at least of

A BANK ACCOUNT

Finding that my balance consists entirely of Real Estate, I have resolved to endeavor to even up things a little. For this purpose I am offering the following

AWFUL SLAUGHTER

Seven-Room House—Lot 60x120, on Oak Bay avenue—selling for $2,600; $500 cash, balance on time at 8 per cent. New price, $2,500.

Six-Room House—Lot 28x60, on James Bay. Price, $850; $250 cash, balance on time at 8 per cent. New price, $800.

Eight Room House—Lot 50x127, on Stanley Avenue. Price $2,700; $500 cash, balance on terms to suit. New price $2,600.

Eleven-Room House—Lot 50x127, on Stanley Avenue. Price $7,500. New price $6,500. Terms to suit. This is a most desirable residence, containing all the most modern conveniences—hot and cold water, electric bell perfect ventilation and sanitation—in fact, a home which will meet the approbation of the most exacting. A chance in a thousand.

Three Six-Room Houses—Lot 60x100 in Victoria West. Price, $1,500 each. New price $1,250. All on time at low rate of interest.

Two Five-Room Cottages—Lots 60x100, in Victoria West. Price $1,150 each. New price, $900; on time; favorable terms.

Twenty-five lots in Victoria West, only one mile from the post office. Streets all graded and sidewalks laid; most desirable residence property, selling at from $150 to $300 each. New prices $100 to $200, to clear off a long list.

One Lot 60x120 with Four-Room Cottage, on Oak Bay Avenue. Price $1500. New price $1,100.

One Six-Room House—Lot 60x120, near Jubilee Hospital. Old price $2,500. New price $2,000.

D. R. YOUNG,

Land and Building Broker, No. 9 Trounce Avenue.

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15 per cent.

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DON'T IMAGINE that because the holiday rush is over that we are playing the "Rip Van Winkle" act and indulging in that pleasant state of dreaminess sometimes customary during this season. This is the month that a descent in prices is looked for, and with the aid of a wide awake public we shall endeavor to make room in our warerooms for large Spring importations now arriving. Consequently to enliven your interest in the pursuit of good values, we offer for this week a discount of 15 per cent. on all Toilet and Dinner Ware. Notice the effect this will have on a few of our leading lines: Our $3 10-piece printed Toilet Set, the best value ever offered in B. C., at $2.55; our $2.50 6-piece printed Toilet Set, at $2.13; our $8.00 100-piece Dinner Service, at $6.80. Our assortment of these two lines is unsurpassed and all subject to 15 per cent. discount. A golden opportunity.

THE SEHL-HASTIE-ERSKINE CO.

DULUTH

THE DIVISIONAL TERMINUS OF THE CANADA WESTERN RAILWAY, AT DUNCAN'S BAY, VANCOUVER ISLAND.

Duluth has been officially announced to be the Terminus as above.

The first call of $100,000 on the Railway Stock has been fully paid up

The Lots owned by the Railway Company in Duluth are not for sale.

PRICES OF LOTS range from $75 to $750.

TERMS—One-third Cash, one-third in six months, one-third in twelve months. Interest on deferred payments.

For particulars apply to

F. G. RICHARDS, Jr., No. 51 Yates St.